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Arrivals.

No. 4779

March 5, Coquer, Brit. str., 774, Raynor, Kobe 24th February, Amoy 4th March Rice.—Siemssen & Co.

M. Patterson, Shanghai 1st March, Ballast, -Rozanio & Co. March 5, NORNA, Brit. str., 666, Milsom, Swatow 5th February, General, -Kwok R. R. Hellios. Req. March 6, H.I.C.M. g-b. Peng-chao-hor, 526, H. B. Lomann, Eaq.

Palmer, from Cap-sing-moon Pass 6th March 6, Augusta, French ship, 840, Bernard, Koba via Amoy 16th February,

Rice.-Russell & Co. March 6, Tales, German bark, 335, Thomson, Saigon 27th January, and Cape St. James 28th, Rice .- WM. PUSTAU & March 6, Boy Bendixen, Danish bank, 366,

J. Hoyer, Saigon 26th January, and Cape St. James 29th, Rice. - WM: Pus-TAU & Co. March 6, ESMERALDA, Span. str., 247, Billibaso, Manila 3rd March, General.-

Departures.

E. J. SAGE

March 6, CYPHEENES, str., for Shanghai, March 6, SAN JUAN, for Macao. March 6. NICOLINE, for Chefoo. March 6, Ellora, str., for Bombay, &c. March 6, Fornosa, str., for East Coast. March 6, CHINA, str., for Canton. March 6, GEORGES, for Samurang. March 6, CITY of EXETER, str., for Java. March 6, YANGTSZE, str., for Shanghai.

Clearances.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S, OFFICE. MARCH STH. City of Exeter, str., for Java. Yangtese, str., for Shanghai. E. H. Jones, for Whampon.

Passengers.

Per Norna, str., from Swatow .--2 European deck and 71 Obinese. Per Coquet, str., from Kobe,-Messrs. Ord and Fitzgerald. Por Esmeralda, str., from Manile,-Mesars. S. Baer, Geo. Armstrong, Ullmani and S. Ruide, Dr. Nissen, Miss Michaen, and

181 Chinese. Per Yangtsse, str., for Shanghai,-Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Marquis, Mesers. R. Connor, Tough, Petersen, and 145 Chinese.

Shanghai on 1st March, had fresh monsoon and latered thereon.

foggy weather throughout. The British steamship Coquet reports left-Kobe on 24th February, had heavy weather from the Northward and Eastward, with heavy ses throughout to Amoy; from thence mode-

rate breezes with thick bazy weather. The British steamship Norna reports left: Swatow on 5th February, had fresh E.N.E. winds with cloudy weather the first part, the and not exceed- | 8 ,, i do. do. latter part moderate and fine weather. In ing.

Swatow left the steamer Cadiz.

The British steamship Esmeralda reports left ing..... Manila on 3rd March, had fine weather and Above 6 months the full annual rate. moderate N.E. monsoon up to the Pratae: from thence strong munsoon and high sea to arrival

soon throughout. The German brig Sophia, and a Siamese ship left Saigon same day for PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY Hongkong, The German bark Tules reports left Saigon on the 27th January, and Cape St. James on

weather throughout the passage.

SHANGHAI SHIPPING. A BRIVALS. February 12th, Lady Belmore from Sydney

13th, George Washington from Cardiff: 15th Sydney : 21st, Furst Bismarck from Hamburg ; from Philippines, Sydenham from Sydney. DEPARTURES. February 14th, Eaglet for Cheloo, Georgina

from Nagasaki; 15th, Argonaut for Obefoo. Hilds from Chefoo; 20th, Portland for Hiogo 21st, Ocean for Obefoo, Nardoo for Jupan 23rd, G. Washington for Nagasaki, Chasan for Hongkong.

YOKOHAMA SHIPPING

February Sth. Parmenio-from Margeillos, Burnside from Nagasaki ; 10:b. Menzaleh, etr., from Hongkong, Lake Simcoe from Liverpool 12th, Golden Age, str., from Shanghai; 14th, Rabicon from Taiwantoc, Ningpo from Nigasuki, Paracca from Nagasaki, Laurel from London; 16th. Malacoa, str., from Hongkong; 18th, Ottawa, str, from Hongkong; 20th, Oregonian, str., from Shanghai, Alexandra from Nagasaki; 21st, Alaska, str., from Hongkong. DEPARTURES. February 9th, F. C. Clarke for Kobe, South

Sea for Bunin Islands; 10th, China, str., for Hongkong, Rollo for New York; 11th, Bombay, str., for Hangkong, Hongkong for Shangbai; 14th, Golden Age, str., for Shanghai; 18th, Menzaleh, str., for Hongkong; 21st, New York, str., for Shanghai.

Vessels from Ports in China and Japan expected in Europe and America. (Corrected to Date.) FROM HONGKONG, Vessel's Name: . For: Date of Leaving. to the extend of £10,000, on Buildings or on

Princess Channel (f.o.) Nov.
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Sir Harry Parkes London Nov.
Lunddrost Braun. Channel (f.o). Nov. 2
Thetie Hamburg Nov. 3
Mikado
Glarus London Dec. 1
Sir Wm. WallaceNew York Jan. 1
Her Majesty New York Jan. 1
Rifle New York Jan T
Irvine New York Jan. 2
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Auction Sales To-day.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., At 12 noon, Sundry Goode, &o.

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LIONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION. PAID UP CAPITAL 5.000,000 of Dollars RESERVE FUND 1,000,000 of Dollars. March 5, EDWARD JAMES, Amr. bark, 529, C. Court of Directors:

Banks.

Chairman-S. D. Sassoon, Esq. Deputy Chairman-W. H. FORBES, Esq. H. Melchere. Esq. A. F. Heard, Esq. Thos. Pyle, Esq. Hon, R. Rowott. Chief Manager

Hongkong James Greig, Baq, Manager. Shanghai-Ewen Cameron, Esq. London Bankers-London and County Bank. HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED. On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of er cent. per annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits:-For: 3 months' 2 per cent. per annum.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Gredits-granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts-granted on London, and the chie commercial places in Europe, India, Australia,

America, China and Japan. JAMES GREIG, Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation. No. 1, Queen's Road Fast. 1062] Hongkong, 13th February, 1873.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the balf-year ending on 3 ist December last, at the rate of Twelve per cent. per annum, say \$7.50 per MONT." with Bowling Alley, Coach House, paid-up Share of \$125, is payable on and after 4-stalled Stable, &c., attached. Water laid on. FRIDAY, the 14th instant, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.

JAMES GREIG. Chief Manager, tf 273 Hongkong, 13th February, 1873.

By order of the Board of Directors,

AGRA BANK, LIMITED. NTOTICE is bereby given, that in accordance , with instructions received from the Board of Directors, the HONGKONG BRANCH will be closed on 31st December, 1872, after which date Mesera, GILMAN & Co. will act as Agents

for the Bank at this Port. H. HUGHES, Manager, Hongkong Branch. , Ogeen's Road East,

Hongkong, 18th December, 1872. [3m 2178 IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE TIHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port

are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to The Amer. bark Edward James reports left | the extent of \$60,000 on Buildings, or on Goods GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co.

tf. Hongkong, 24th August, 1864. NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

MROM and after this date the following rates will be charged on SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz :—

Not exceeding . I month ! of the annual rate

Above Smonths and not exceed- } 6

The Danish bark Roy Bendison reports left surers. GILMAN & Co., Agents, Saigon on 26th January, and Cape St. James on the 29th, had strong N.E. and N.N.E. mon. North British & Mercantile Insurance Company. tf 1167 Hongkong, 24th June, 1872.

On and after this date, a discount of 20 per

cent. off the above rates will be allowed to In-

ROM this date, until forther notice, a discount of Twenty percent. (20%) upon the current local rates of premia will be allowed the 28th, had strong N.E. monsoon and stormy upon insurances effected with this Company. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

> tf 1192 Honokong, 27th June, 1872 Victoria fike insurance compañ y -OF HONGKONG, LIMITED.

Wm, Turner from Sydney; 16th, Albatros from THIS Company, with its Head Office Hongkong, and Agencies at the various 25th, Annie Muriel from Nagasaki, Seamew Treaty Ports in Ohina and Japan, is prepared to issue Policies of Insurance, at the current rates of Premium at the respective places. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,

> Secretaries tf 557 Hongkong, 1st April, 1871. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

INROM this date un'il further potice, Return of Twenty per cent. (20%) will be made, on the Premium charged on all Insurances effected with this Office; such Return ; being payable on the issue of the Policy. GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company.

tf 1159 Hougkong, 24th June, 1872. LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM TRANSIT INSURANCE OFFICE. 137, LEADENHALL STREET, LONDON. ESTABLISHED 1843.

THE Undersigned is authorised to accerrisks on behalf of this Office, by First Class Steamers and Sailing Ships. A. MoIVER, Agent. tf Hongkong, lat July, 1867. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY

CAPITAL,-Two MILLION STERLING. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agent for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire,

Goods stored therein, NORTON, LYALL & Co. if 241 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1870. THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER HIS MAJESTY KINGGEORGE THE FIRST. A.D. 1720.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation, are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:-MARINE DEPARTMENT. Policies at current rates, payable either hero. in London, or at the principal Ports of India. China, and Australia. FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Policies issued for long or short periods a current rates. A discount of 20 % allowed. LIFE DEPARTMENT. Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000, on reasonable terms. HOLLIDAY. WISE & Co.

tf. 1368 Honekong, 26th July, 1872: CHINA AND JAPAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE ATTENTION OF SHIPPERS is called to the luture distribution of the Profits of this Company, two-thirds (2/3rds) of which, after payment of interest, will now be

WM. PUSTAU & Co., rates. ti 663 Hongkong, 9th April 1872

To be Let.

Possession on 1st April, THREE STOREY Comfortable HOUSE order, having nine rooms and a fine view of Queen's Road, the harbour. Gas and Water laid on. Rent moderate. Apply at No. 12, Hollywood Road. 251 Hongkong, 4th March, 1873. TO LET.

TIWO Large Airy ROOMS, in a central part def the town. Address, "X. Y. Z." of Daily Press Office. ti 350 Hongkong, 3rd March, 1873.

WITH possession from the 1st May. "CRAIGENGOWER." Caine Road. "CRAIGENGOWER," Caine Road. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. tf 340 Hongkong, 1st March, 1873 TO LET. With possession on or about 15th April next. THE RESIDENCE known as "BELL-

VUE," aituated in Albany Road, For particulars, apply to R. F. HAWKE. tf 311 Hongkong, 1st March, 1873. TU LET. From the 1st Murch-next.

THE HOUSE No. 31, Wyndbam Street. Ap-

J. A. DE CARVALHO. 2w 306 Hongkong, 24th February, 1873, TO LET. NTO. I and 2. WESTBOURNE VILLAS.

ply to

situated on the Bonbam Road. Apply to RAWLING, MEDLEN & Co., Architects, &c.

tf 130 Hongkong, 20th January, 1873. · TO LET. (With immediate possession) at Pokfoolum, and known as "BEL- and 28lbs, WEIGHTS, Hot Plate CHESTS,

GILMAN & Co. tf 1132 Hongkong, 19th June, 1872. HOUSE No. 1, in Seymour Terrace, at present in the occupation of A. HANCOCK, Esq. Possession on the 1st May next. HOUSE No. 7, in Caine Road, formerly occupied by T. Prhe. Esq. Possession on the lat.

March next. Apply to

DAVID BASSOON, SONS & Co. tf 258 Hongkong, 13th February, 1873. TO LET. TITH possession on the 1st January next, or prior to that date if required, that Commodious TWO STORIED HOUSE situated in Caine Boad, and known us. "Forest

Liodge," with Out-offices, Stabling, Coachhouse, Aviaries, Garden, and also a Croquet Lawn attached. Has Gas and Water laid throughout. For further particulars, apply to

E. D. SASSOON & Co. tf 1842 Hongkong, 2nd November, 1872. TO LET. (With immediate possession). THAT highly desirable and commodious Family residence. "FAIRLEA," situated in Bonbam Road West, and formerly in the occupation of ROBERT MCMURDO, Esq. There

are 12 Rooms, 3 Stalled stable, Couch-house Harness Room; large Kitchen Garden, and Pleasure Grounds, Gas and Water laid throughout. Apply to

ED, SHARP & TOLLER,

Solicitors. ti. 172 Hongkong, 25th January, 1872.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the half year ended 31st Dec., 1872, at the rate of Six per cent, per annum (6 %, will be payable at the Honekong and Shanghai Bank on and after FRIDAY, the 28th Feb. Dividend Warrants must be obtained from the Asting Secretary at the office of the Company, No. 1, Club Chambers. By order,

ROBERT DUNCAN, $oldsymbol{A}$ cting Secretary. 1m 313 Hongkong, 25th February, 1878, HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND at the rate of 16 per cent. per annum, or \$6 per share, declared at the Ordinary Balf-yearly Meeting of Sharebolders held this day, will be payable at the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAL BANKING CORPO-BATION on and after SATURDAY next, the 18th instant. Shareholders are requested to apply at the office of the Company for Wur-

By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co... General Agents. tf J12 Hongkong, 16th January, 1873.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE DIVIDEND of \$3 (Three Dollars) per cent. to 31st December, 1872, declared at the Half-yearly Meeting of the Hongxone HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED, will be payable at the Honekong and Shangeat Banking Cob-PORATION on and after MONDAY next, the 27th instant. Shareholders may obtain Dividend Warrants for the same on application to the undersigned. By Order of the Board,

ED. BAKER, tf 155 Hongkong, 24th January, 1873. CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

Adjustment of Bonus for the Year End-ING 31st DECEMBER, 1872.

MONTRIBUTORS of business to the above mentioned Company are hereby requested Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and to hand to the Undersigned before the First day of March next, papers shewing their contributions for the year ending 31st December, 1872, in order that their share of the divisible profits may be ascertained. Should such Contributors fail to render the returns specified, their accounts will be made up in conformity with the books of the Company. OLYPHANT & Co.,

tf 24 Hongkong, let January, 1873. PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents to the above Company at this Pert, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. tf 717 Hongkong, 9th November, 1869. NOTICE.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

EROM and after this date, a Discount of 20 per cent, on the current rates of Premia will be allowed to all contributors. BOBERT S. WALKER & Co... Agents, Royal Insurance Company? tf 1162 Hongkong, 24th June, 1872.

K. K. PRIV. OESTERBEICH. VERSICHE-BUNGS-GESELLSCHAFT "DONAU." VIENNA, LIMITED.

MELCHERS & Co. 6m 2119 Hongkong, lat December, 1872. Auctions.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, 7TH MARCH, 1873.

GENERAL WEEKLY SALE. TANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by La Public Auction, in their Sales Room.

the 7th March, 1873, at noon,-PICKLES, SAUCES, VINEGAR, MUS. TARD, SALAD OIL, RAISINS, JAMS and JELLIES, CAPERS, MACOARONI, OAT-MEAL, HERRINGS, HAMS, and OHEESE. "Assorted ESSENCES, OIL of ROSES, JA. MAICA and MARROW OIL and POMADE, Violet POWDER, Honey and Brown Windsor SOAP, Gilt Framed MIRRORS, Kerosine LAMPS, DOLLS, CANDLES, POCKET

THIS DAY.

5 Casks OPORTO. 5 Cases OHLORIDE of LIME, in Stone Jurs. 100 MUSKETS and BAYONETS. 1 Portable Albion PRINTING PRESS, with

5 Cases KEROSINE, Bell Brand. TERMS OF SALE—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dellars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots. with all faults and errors of description, purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer. 363 Hongkong, 6th March, 1873.

FUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction; at the P. & ().

DEMNED STORES, on MONDAY, the 10th March, 1873, at 11 o'clock,-Old CASKS, Oll TINS, Side PORTS, Scrap IRON. Fire BARS. Marble Washstand TOPS ROPE, CHAIN, Weighing MACHINES, Cow THAT very desirable BUNGALOW, situate | HOUSES, Sheep PENS, COOPS, Iron 56lbs

Co.'s Store, West Point, the following CON-

ANCHORS, Slate TANK, Portland CEMENT, ROSIN, Topsuil HALYARD, &c. 2 Blakeley 20-pounder Muzzle Loading Steel GUNS, complete, with Shot and Shell; 2 Iron 12-pounder GUNS; 2 Iron 9-pounder GUNS; 3 Iron SWIVELS; and I Hand Fire ENGINE. TERMS OF SALE. - Cash before delivery in from this date. Mexican Dollars weighed at 7,1.7. All Lots, with all faults of description, to be at pur-

Auctioneer. 304 Hongkong, 5th March, 1873. PUBLIC AUCTION.

CHAS. H. MORGAN.

chasers' risk on fall of the hammer.

FURNITURE SALE.

ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. bave received instructions to sell by Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, on: WEDNESDAY. the 12th March, 1873, at 2 o'clock P.M. An English-made Drawing Room SUITE

Marble-top TABLES, SIDEBOARD, WHAT

NOT, CLOCKS, MIRRORS, ELECTRO PLATED, GLASS, and CROCKERY WARE, WARDROBES, Iron BEDSTEADS, FEN DERS and Fire IRONS, LAMPS. Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All lots

378 Hongkong, 7th March, 1873. PUBLIC AUCTION.

chasers' risk on the fall of the hammer.

T ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received off their Wharf, on SATURDAY, the 15th March, 1873, at 12 o'clock noon,-The Steam-Launch

Length on Keel 52 feet. Beam, 8 feet, 4 inches. Depth, 5 feet. Horse-power, 25, with Locomotive Boiler. Brass SCREW, and Spare CastIron SCR & W AWNING fore and aft, TERMS OF SALE .- Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of descriptions, at purchasers' risk from the full of the bammer.

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359 Hongkong, 4th March 1878. FOR SALE. MALIFORNIA OATS, fresh, and of excel-U lent quality. MACEWEN & Co.

lm 339 Hongkong, lat March, 1873. A. MILLAR & CO. .. TOUSE, SHIP, AND STEAMBOAT PLUMBERS, COPPERSMITHS & BRASSFOUNDERS No. 1. Queen's Road East and Nullah Lane, Opposite H.M. Naval Dock Yard. of 387 Houghong, let March, 1871.

 ${f LIVERFOOL}$ AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.

FROM this date, until further notice, a discount of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon the THE OOSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INcurrent local rate of premia will be allowed upon insurances effected with this Company. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Agente. tf 1193 Hongkong, 27th June, 1872.

QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY, TROM and after this date, and until further notice, a Discount of Twenty per cent. 15 per cent. (20%) upon ourrent local rates of Premia, will be returned on Insurances against fire, effected with this Office. NORTON, LYALL & Co.,

tf 1174 25th June, 1872. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. TNTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance

Detached & semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from town, } a per cent, and their contents. Other dwelling Houses, used strictper cent. THE annual rates for Fire Insurance on the ly as such, and their contents. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Agents Imperial Fire Insurance Company.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE OO. DUR Insuring Houses and other Buildings' Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufactur ing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Har-General Agents. bours, or Dook, and the Cargoes of such Ships also, Ships Building and Repairing; Barges and other Vessels on Navigable Rivers and, SHORT PERIOD Policies:-Canals, and Goods on board such Vessels, throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, FROM LOSS OF DAMAGE Above 1 month, and not] 3

th 864 Hongkong, 7th March, 1865.

pany, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE to the extent of \$60,000 on anyone First Above 6 months, the full annual rate of 1 Class Risk. GIRB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hougkong, 1st January, 1867. NOTIOE.

IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. -

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company

LIROM and after this date the following rates I will be charged SHORT PERIOD In-Surances. viz:--Above I month, and not exceed. 3 . do. do. Above 3 months ? disided amongst all Contributors of business, THE Undersigned, baving been appointed and not exceed. 6 .. 1 do .. do.

if 675 Hongkong, 18th August, 1869.

五拜禮 Notices of Firms.

MAR. AD. STRACK has this day been ad-VI mitted a partner in our firm. DEETJEN & Cc. 7d 338 Hongkong, 1st March, 1873,

A. JAMES BRUCE is authorised to sign our firm per procuration until further TAIT & Co.

Im 278 Amoy, 11th February, 1873. AR, CARDROSS GRANT bas been ad-IVL mitted a Partner in our firm, BRADLEY & Co. tf 1 Swatow, 1st Janua v. 1873. M. R. F. LANCKEN and Mr. O. W. SIEGFRIED bave this day been admitted partners in

our firm in Hongkong and China. WM. PUSTAU & Co. 6m 2 Bongkong, 1st January, 1873. HAVE this day admitted Mr. J. ALABOR L partner in my firm, which will henceforth be conducted under the style of MEYER, ALABOR

ADOLPH E. MEYER. 3m 5 Hongkong, let January, 1873, 1 ME interest and responsibility of Mr. ADOLF EIMBORE in our firms at Canton and Hongkong, ceased on the 31st December, From this day Mr. OTTO BENECKE becomes a partner in both houses.

3m 9 Hongkong, 1st January, 1873. TAR: HERMANN STOLTERFOHT bas been authorized to sign our firm. BESSE & Co.

CARLOWITZ & Co.

tf 11 Hongkong, let January, 1873, I HE interest and responsibility of Mr. C. R. - HEERMANN in our firm couses from this A OHS. J. GAUPP & Co.

tf 12 Hongkong, 81st December, 1872. THE interest and responsibility of Mr. H. H. WARDEN and Mr. DAVID KING, Jr., in our firm cessed in the 31st December last. Mr. E. W. STEVENS is admitted a partner RUSSELL & Co.

Sin 14. China, 1st January, 1878. NOTICE. THE interest of Mr. H. L. NORONHA, in the Printing Establishment of the Undersigned, ceased on the 30th of September last. Mr. D. NORONHA, Senior, bus re-assumed the managing business of the office.

FOR SALE OR LEASE.

3m 2249 Hongkong, 24th December, 1872,

NORONHA & SONS.

THE SHIPPING BUILDING YARD OF THE UNDERSIGNED.

DMIRABLY situated on the Beach to the East of the Foreign Concession, Kobe, and furnished with an extensive supply of every requisite for the carrying on of a SHIPWRIGHT TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Business, together with surplus Plant and with all faults and errors of descriptions, at pur- Tools, Blacksmith's Forges, Tools, &c., &c. For further particulars, apply to

W. K. BOARD & Co. 1m 291 Hiogo, January 31st, 1873.

TO BE SOLD. instructions to sell by Public Auction, MHE GROUND and PREMISES at Queen's L. Road, Spring Gardens, known as ST. FRANCIS HOSPITAL. The Ground contains 40,430 square-feet, affording sufficient space for over 50 ordinary Chinese Houses. The Premises, as they stand, are well suited for a School, a Hospital, or any public Institution. --For further partionlars, apply to CALDWELL & BRERETON,

.29, Queen's Road, Hongkong 3m 200 Hongkong, 1st February, 1873. BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents in Hongkong for the above-named Company, are prepared to grant Policies gainst Sea Risks at current rates. RUSSELL & Co. tf 1022 Hongkong, 1st April, 1865.

TRANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept risks against Fire, subject to a bouns of 20 per cent. SLEMSSEN & Co.,

tf 39 Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. THE GLOBE MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, LONDON.

SURANCE COMPANY OF BATAVIA. THE SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSU-RANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. THE Attention of Shippers is called to the low rates of Premiums charged by the

for all steamer risks, subject to a brokerage of The "Costerling," as well as the, "Globe, alter paying the Shareholders a dividend of 16 per cent. on their paid up Capital, distribute 25 per cent. of the surplus of the profits pro rata Agents, amongst such of the Insurers as have paid during the year 2500 and upwards in premium. Particulars can be obtained at the Office of

undersigned Agents of above named Companies,

SIEMSSEN & Co. if 40 Hongkong, 16th October, 1872.

NOTICE. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

. various classes of Buildings and their conper cent tents will remain as follows until further notice, viz:-Detached and semi-detached) .. Dwelling Houses (removed from) percent, the town) and their contents. Other Dwelling Houses (similarly) I percent. situated) and their centents Offices and Godowns and their) 1 percent.

Other Risks by Special arrangement. The following rates will be charged for Not exceeding 10 days 4th per cent: Not exceeding...... I month a per cent. exceeding..... The Undersigned, Agents for the above Com. Above 3 months, and not | 6

> Agents, Royal Insurance Company. ti 1763 Hongkong, 13th September, 1869. INDO-OHINESE-SUGAR COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.,

CHAREHOLDERS are hereby notified that per share is payable on the Slat December cur- as follows, viz. :rent, at the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank. ING CORPORATION. Interest at the rate of Twelve per cent. per annum will be charged on all calls paid after

that day,

By order,

A NOEL BLAKEMAN, 2166 Hongkong, 10th December, 1872.

Intimations. NAVAL CONTRACTS, 1873-74.

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SEALED TENDERS, in duplicate, will be received by the Undersigned at or before Noon on SATURDAY, the 15th instant, from O.B. persons desirons of supplying the following Articles for the use of the Naval Department, for the year 1878 74, viz.:—

Frosh Beef, Raisins,

Fresh Vegetables, Salt, Water. Rice, Soft Bread. Sugar, Bisouit. Printed Forms of Tender and further partiwlars can be obtained at the Naval Storekceper's Office. J. BREMNER.

H. M.'s Naval Yard. Hongkong, 3rd March, 1873. [12] 458 UNION INSURANCE SOULETY OF OANTON.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. OTIOE is hereby given, that the Ordinary Half-yearly MEETING of the Share holders of this Society will be held at its Head Office, Hongkong on FRIDAY, the 21st March, at three o'clock F.M., for the purpose, of receiving the Report of the Directors, together

The Transfer Books of the Society will be CLOSED from the 8th to the 1st March, both. days inclusive. By order of the Board.

with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December.

21d 346 Hongkong, 1st March, 1873. FOR SALE. MILCH COW and CALF. Apply to "D.," HONGKONG CLUB. 7d 362 Hongkong, 5th March, 1873.

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TO. 2 Superior MANILA OFGARS, (Arc ceros and Fortin.) Apply to REMEDIOS & Co. Im 323 Hongkong, 27th February, 1873. DY a Person whose engagement will shortly

D expire, a SITUATION as BOOK

KEEPER, or in any other especity in a mer-

chant's office. The Advertiser has had long experience in Bookkeeeping, and is willing make himself generally useful. Testimonials und references first-class. Address, "1. J., care of the Daily Press Office. 357 Hongkong, 4th March, 1873. WANTED. THE Advertiser is desirous to enter into some

arrangement with a lady or respectable female, homeward bound, to take charge of "two" or "four" children, girls, between six patch for the above Ports. and seven years of age, during their passage to Hambourg per direct steamer, in consideration of " part" or "the whole " of her passage, or any other similar gratuity, being paid by the Advertiser. Address, "Passage to Hamburg," care of the office of this paper.

NOTICE. THE HONGKONG PIER AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Head Office of the above Company

14d 304 Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873.

this day REMOVED from No. 7, Peddar's Hill, to No. 44, Queen's Road Central. MICHAEL MOSS 14d 332 Hongkong, 28th February, 1878. NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY. MR. REGINALD D. STARKEY is authorized to sign Policies, and act on behalf.

March, 1873. By order of the Court of Directors, HERBERT S. MORRIS Secretary. ti 327 Shanghai, 26th February, 1873.

of the above Company at Hongkong, from lat

NOW READY. DOUND VOLUMES of the TRADE RE-PORT for the year 1872. Price \$10. Apply at the Daily Press Office. Honokone, let February, 1879;

TION OF SHANGHAL. CAPITAL AND SURPLUS 765,000 TAELS POLICIES granted on Marine Risks to all parts of the World, at current rates.

YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-

This Association will, until further notice, provide out of the earnings, first for an interest dividend of 15% for shareholders on Capital, and thereafter distribute among Policy holders annually, in cash, ALL the profits of the Underwriting Business pro raia to amount of premium contributed.

RUSSELL & Co., tf 1089 Hongkong, 9th July, 1872. NOTICE.

exceeding 6 months

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY. instant, for shipment per ANTENOR. THE following rates will be charged in future for SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:-Not exceeding 10 days, t of the annual rate. Not exceeding I month, & bove I month and not ! exceeding 3 months... Above 3 months and not \ 3

READ OFFICE-HONGKONG. GENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of A Chine and Japan, and at Singapore, MORNING, the 4th instant. Saigon and Penang. tination, unless intimution is received from the Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance granted at the rates of Premium current at the Consignees before 5 P.N. THIS EVENING, requesting it to be landed here. above-mentioned Ports. No charge for Policy fees.

NORTON, LYALL & Co.,

Agents the Queen Insurance Company.

tf. 242 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1870.

THE UNINA FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hongkong, 1st November, 1871. NOTICE TAROM and after this date the following rates Il or will be charged for SHORT PERIOD

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CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY. (LIMITED).

A adopted and confirmed at the Extraordinary Meetings of Shareholders held on the Joaquim Aymered ... I case Curios. 23rd March and 13th April, altering Clauses | Ez." Sindh," from Marseilles.
Nos. 103, 104, 105, 107, and 161 of the Articles | PFC | \$1941/49 ... 9 cases Provisions. in accordance with the 36th Clause of the of Association, (such changes to take effect D Not exceeding Ten days t of the annual rate | Articles of Association of the Company, the from 1st January, 1872), the Net Profits of the Hamar Bruygire 25 cases Wine. Not exceeding I month 1 of the annual cute Sixth Call of Twelve Dollars and Fifty cents Company will, from that date, be distributed TM in square

> ther shareholders or not, in proportion to H. C. Heywood, Esq. ... I small Parcel. the net amount of premis contributed by ED, 14300) One-third (1/3rd) to be carried to the Reserve PFC, 1949, 1954 ...

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FORD & Co., or at the door on the night of the

performance. 879 Hongkong, 7th March, 1873.

WINTER LECTURES. THE Ninth and Last LECTURE of the COURSE will be delivered in ST. AN-DREW'S HALL, CITY HALL, on TUESDAY, 11th March, at D P.M., by the Rev. JAMES LEGGE. D.D. L.L.D. Subject :- Two Herocs of Chiiese Historn."

Tickets, price One Dollar each, may be had MESSRS, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. 5d 370 Hongkong, 7th March, 1873. TO LET. SET of OFFICES in Club Chambers.

D'Aguilar Street. Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. tf 371 Hongkong, 7th March 1873 TO FAMILIES RETURNING HOME. RESPECTABLE Married Woman, who is used to children, is desirous of taking charge of some, or to attend on a hedy, in return for a passage to England. Address, "C.," Office of Daily Press. 872 Hongkong, 7th March, 1873.

FOR MANILA. THE Spanish Steamer " ESMERALDA " fill leave for the above Port TO-MORROW, a 8th inst . at 5 P.M. For Freight or Lussage, apply to

2d 373 Hongkong. 7th March, 1873.

THE Steamsbip "LUZON." Daptain Williams, will have immediate des-For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. tf 374. Hongkong, 7th March, 1873.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FUCCHOW.

FOR SHANGHAL Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for HANKOW, NINGFO, and POWTS in JAPAN. THE Company's Steamship

"ANTENOR"

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11d 876 Hongkong, 7th March, 1873. MOR SALE, the following RACE PONIES: "ROYALIST." "CROMWELL," For particulars, address, "P. Q.," office of tf 367 Hongkong, 6th March, 1873,

TEITHER the Undersigned nor the Owners

of the German Ship Georges, now lying

in this port, will be responsible for any debta contracted by the Captain, Officers, or Orew of the said vessel. CARLOWITZ & Co.

tf 334 Hongkong, 28th February, 1873.

Notices to Consignces. NOTICE. TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO. EX O. S. S. CO. S S. S. AJAX, FROM LIVERPOOL. CHIPPING Orders must be obtained from

the undersigned not later than the 12th

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

7d 877 Hongkong, 7th March, 1873. S. F. PROVENCE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per S. S. INDUS. from London, in connection with the above eteamer, are bereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk in the Godowns of the above Company, whence delivery may be obtained from TUESDAY Optional Cargo will be forwarded to its des-

undersigned. Goods remaining anclaimed after FRIDAY, ftf 385 the 7th March, at noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. 352 Hongkong, 2nd March, 1873.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

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OLTPHANT & Co., General Agents: AEM 11 716 Hongkong, 17th April, 1878.

tf 678 Hongkong, 28th August 1869 ... C. BERTRAND. Principal Agent. En S. S. "Ava," 10th April, GB&O or TFB I and 2. 2 cases Merchandise. Ex " Sindh!"

Two-thirds (2/3rds) to all contributors, whe- MD, \$1 2 cases Perfumery.

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Hongkong, March 7th, 1873:

that applications for the rendition of alleged He was sent out to make enquiries, and found shything else to notice, and if no further excriminals from the Colony to the Chinese Authorities, shall be made in due form from bome, but be turned up at night. He went the high officials at Canton, through H.B.M.'s Consul there. Hithertorenditions have been the empty backet; he afterward found out where made at times on the application of subordi- | defendant had sold the eggs. nate officials, but, we presume, from the change in the course, that attention has been him to buy eggs, and gave him \$1. He creetion of three large godowns; and further called by recent occurrences to the inconve- purchased 51 for balf a dollar. He bought additions have subsequently been made, innience attending that plan. Our readers will doubtless recollect the case in which the burber's shop to scenre his change, had was ginning of the year, the river frontage possessso-called agent for the Chinese Authorities bailed with an exchanation, "Your eggs are ed by the Company was 720 feet; it is now was discovered bringing, what turned out to be an entirely trumped up case against a man who was accused of being concerned in the robbery of a pawnshop at Canton. The agent was committed for trial for perjury, but the Attorney-General entered a nolle at the rate of 42 cash each for them. prosequi, and the case was not proceeded trate considering it substantially proven, he with. It was, however, quite enough to form a warning that care should be exercised in entertaining such applications; and we doubt not that the presentaction of the local authorities has been influenced by it. Therecan be no doubt that to render up Chinese in the Colony upon the application of petty tervention of the Consulat Canton, is a very house where coolies employed at the new Pier for future contingencies of that nature, political grievance which formed the ostensible being more displayed than with regard to all mediums, but from what has occurred a poker on a domestic servant to whom he had dangerous course. Even when dealing with reside. the high native authorities, whose responsibility is some guarantee of good faith, it is at Wanobi; 60 of their coolies reside in a house | sharebolders at the rate of Tls. 6 per share; necessary to be very careful fully to sift nese in the Colony, and this necessity is one of the coolies in the house. On his leaving of the balance, Tla. 6,150.77, being one-fifth of a column of troops, by way of recommissance, the tariff and transit dues, and many other like take the trouble to go and see it; besides," he an unsound state of mind. largely increased when we deal with officials of small rank. There have been frequent when he got home he heard rice had been stolen: illustrations of men being demanded by the on counting the bogs saw one bag was gone. Chinese upon various preterts, while they were in reality wanted on totally different grounds, and this ruse is very likely to be resorted to by the smaller Mandarins, who are they incur this amount of risk, it is a com- medals and two chaps. of the kind did not lead to serious complica- gone away by the mail steamer Ellora, he fit. tions with foreigners—and this is never very likely to be the case—a Chinese official would look upon such a matter as a venial offence. and would not take any serious action with is very important that in all cases of application for rendition we should insist upon their coming from responsible authorities, and through the Consul at Canton, who is the recognised medium for communication

with the Chinese authorities. Ir will, we are sure, be gratifying to the residents in Hongkong, to hear that H.I.H. the GRAND DUKE AL As, on leaving for the North, expressed himself in more than conventional terms pleased with his stay in the Colony. It is a pleasing duty to record the fact, as we cannot but feel that the tribute was well merited, as there is no question that all in the Colony, from H.E. the Go-VERNOR downwards, contributed to the best of their ability, though in a quiet and unostentations manner, to the amusement of the illustrious visitor who has just quited our shores. Sir ARTHUR KENNEDY,

public, or to omit affording them suitable opportunities of gratifying the natural wish to see something of one of the great personages of Europe, and this was done with sufficient tact and delicacy not to be burdensome to the Prince himself. The same taste, guided the public generally, who had the good sense, while willing to make their bow and to show the consideration due to an illustrious visitor, to leave him afterwards very much to himself, and free from that

inobbing and staring which become after a time most burdensome to distinguished personages, and to escape from which is one of the chief objects they have in view in going to distant parts of the world. In this respect, the community of Hongkong always act with commendable discretion. The same course was adopted when the Duke or EDINBURGH Was here. Though, of course, as son of the Queen of England, he elicited great enthusiasm in the Colony, after the treated as a private individual, and allowedthe privilege so dear to all, but so frequently denied to those in high position, of simply on the year's working of \$12,326; the balance functiful head-dresses, will recall the days of ments and command-in-chief of, the three discreditable sound, the evils which it produces doing what he liked and following his own die on the Club Furniture has been paid off, Kublai Khan, and present a scene as novel as divisions will be entrusted to General Kauf are very frequently placed to the account of its

bent. The manner in which the GRAND DUKE responded to the various invitations to public is proposed to obtain, them during the current also sent their the experience he is now required to turn to to spend a great part of our time at the and other entertainments in the Colony, may, year. The formation of a free library for the country. we doubt not be taken as an indication that the mode in which he was treated on such raise the Entrance Fee from \$10 to \$30. The who has now been elevated to this responsible about the end of the present month. are sure the residents in this Colony will remember with pleasure the courteous and Goetz, W. Hyslop, E G. Low, J. A. Maitland, genial manners of the GRAND DUKE and the eminent persons attached to his suite, we believe we may state with confidence that the visit to this Colony was equally gratifying to the latter, and that the efforts, which were made for their entertainment were fully appreciated.

We are informed by the agents, that the O. S. S. Co.'s ateamship Antenor left Singapore for this port on 4th instant.

POLICE INTELLIGENCE. BEFORE THE HON. C. MAY.

INTERNATIONAL COUTESIES. States corvette Lackawanna, was charged by

Chinese constable No. 220, as follows. Complainant said that on the afternoon of the 5th inst., at Bank wharf, he saw the defend. ant in controversy with a chair-coolie, saw him King. pay the chair and get his change. After getface. Fined \$1.

D'Aguilar-street, charged Patrick Noncham. assaulting her in the road from Stanley-street, and tearing her jacket, to the extent of \$2. Defendant said he did not know what kind of a woman the complainant was, good, bad, or what her character was, but though drunk he was sure she snatched his " monk " bag from him, assisted by another woman, and made off

complainant.

A Chinese tailor, named Ho-a-wah, was

that the defendant had stolen 51 eggs from the boy, consequently the boy was afraid to go to defendant's house; be is a tailor, residing in a barber's shop in Tai-ping-shan; found him and

was ignorant of his age. His uncle sent the eggs at a chandler's sliop, and outside chaling 300 feet of new Wharf, in continuation the door he put his basket down; near a of the lower end of the old Wharf. At the begone," and looking round, saw they actually 1,640 feet, the whole of which is faced by a ser- are ready for the new order of things. In these far seeing and thoughtful men should keep it were gone. He was afraid to go home till it got dark, he then gave his uncle the change. . Lo-a-choy, declared, said the defendant came bawker, and could not dispose of his eggs, and naked him to buy them. He did so, giving him

. Defendant denied the obarge, but the Magiswas sent to two months' hard labour. UNLAWFUL POSSESSION. Chinese constable 139 charged a coolie nam-

a bag of rice, valued over \$2. The constable stated that at 4 p.m. of the 5th | the Directors, to be issued at their discretion in inst., at Wanchi, he observed the defendant in a very suspicious manuer carrying a bag of vice. and he not being able to account for it, without giving a number of versions, suspected him. He devoting Tls. 2,468.99 to repairs and deprecis-

last night he saw some rice spilled on the stairs, ! and thought some rice had been stolen, and

Sent to two months hard labor.

he concluded that some mystery hung about low. During 1872, 59 sailing vessels and 181 regard to it. Under such circumstances, it the things found in his house. The medals and steamers were discharged at the Company's clasps had the name of Mr. C. T. Hogan, chief | Wharf; the receipts of cargo were 1,970,226.

> H.E.I. Co.'s Indus," with the name Pegu. On beneficial to the interests of the Company." the rim of the other medal was " Chief-engineer C. T. Hogan, H.M.S. Mohr." Inspector Grimes | that the amount of Tle. 22 000 owing to the Hong-

OBSTRUCTION. A shop-keeper, corner of Wilmer-street, was ing to the amount of such contributions. ed thereon; he had been up for the same offence pointed Committee for the ensuing year.

ley Bay, with storming his junk with stones. | the agency should be transferred to them. Asintic imagination—as we know by sail Complainant sluted that last night his junk. It appearing that it was necessary to send in a experience in our own Eastern affairs-should anchored in Stanley Bay, when a number of small requisition for the matter to be brought for- be disarmed by the tidings of an effectual bonts came off with three min in each, who were ward, its discussion was deferred, and the meet vengeance. A Conneil of Ministers was sumhis customers when he brought fish in. They ing separated with the usual vote to the Chairasked him whether he had any fish for sale, and on his answering them that he had sold all outside, they got angry, and went away returning with several other boats, and they all commenced to storm his junk with atones, till his decks were filled with them and all hands had to get below.

police hearing the disturbance came off, and the defendants were arrested. Defendants said it was only a joke. Fined \$2 each, in default 7 days' hard labor, and ordered to find security in one householder, \$10 each, to keep the peace for six months.

new fittings, however, are still required, and it age never to be reproduced. The Coreans have the valleys of the Sir Daria and the Zer-fshan, dustry. We choose, in one form or another, mit me to make the following remarks. use of members, and certain alterations in the We have no knowledge of the ceremonies Daria, or ancient Oxus. It is anticipated that variety of forms in every capital in the my experience of proselytizing is that discusrules were agreed on. It was also decided to which attended the accession; but the youth the operations of the several columns will begin world, and then complicently complain that sion is almost, if not entirely, a waste of time occasions was pleasing to him, and, while we following gentlemen were elected a Committee post has had a poor training to fit him to perfor the ensuing year :- Messra J. Blain, G. W. folin its duties in these days of change and Courte, Robt. Fergusson, H. de C. Forbes, H. progress among his subjects. His life hung I. I. Millet, J. M. Ringer, John Thorne, and father in August 1861; and he probably owes G. H. Wheeler.

The Courier says :- Letters recently received bis uncle Prince Kung, and the prudence of from the well-known and distinguished natural- the Empress Downger and his mother. His ist Pore David, inform his correspondents that life hitherto has been passed in the precincts he has succeeded in reaching Kansub, the outer- of the "Forbidden City" in his Capital, and most limit of China to the north-west. Let us his face is unknown to his subjects, except the hope that no contretemps wrising from the un- few hundreds who are there admitted to the archy consequent on the Mahomedan rebellion court and the haren. He has only once been will arrest the course of his conquests in the out of Peking since he came back to it from new fields he is there laying open to scientific Jebel in 1861, as far as the Tung Ling or

SHANGHAI AND HONGKEW WHARF

(Abridged from the N. C. Daily News.) in the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Com. ing, archery and sports, which the Manchus pany was held at the Shanghai Library on the still retain; but of the acts of government, the 20th February. Present-Messre. A. Michie | policy, resources and dangers of the Empire, (Chairman) J. I. Miller, F. D. Barnes, W. Lang, E. H. Lavers, and F. Nissen (Directors) J. M. Young, E. Mackintosh, P. Maolean, E. Macoull, W. Kaye, R. W. Little, J. A. Hawes, has been reared, that the citizens of Peking it-W. Miller, A. G. Wood, G. Withers, and W.

The Chairman said that as a matter of for. | does. ting a little distance away, he turned round mality the minutes of last meeting ought to be and asked him if he could speak English, | read, but as they had been printed in the papers and on his answering in the affirmative, be at the time, there was perhaps now no necessity nsked him if he knew Americans to be good for it. The business before the meeting was to known abilities; and also that they will retain men, and remarked, had be a knife would be'be | consider the Report and Accounts for the year afraid of him? Complainant said "No," on 1872, and as these also had been in the hands regime. The counsels and experience of Wanwhich the defendant gave him a blow on the of the shareholders for some time, he presumed stang. Tung Sian, Shin Kwei-tan, and others they would take them as read. He did not who have been at the head of affairs for the know that there was very much to add to the past decade, in conjunction with Prince Kung, Leong a hi, mistress of No. 181 brothel, in Report and Accounts; they had nothing to are, we hope, still to be employed in guiding compare the year's working with, as it was the them. They have wisely kept their own counmarine in the U.S. covette Lackawanna, with first of the present company; and the Directors sel in respect to the important question which had been to a large extent occupied in increas- has been talked of among foreigners,-that of ing and consolidating the property, on a great granting an Audience to foreign Ministers on part of which they had not yet realised any terms of perfect respect, and without requiring returns. Shares to the number of 380 had of them any ceremony incompatible with the been disposed of during the year, in addition to dignity of their own countries; but after the those outstanding at the beginning, and on repeated discussions which they have had these a considerable premium had been realist among themselves upon it, and the long con-He went after her, a row cusued, and he was ud, which, they would observe, had been de. troversy on the subject-beginning away far voted to the improvement of property in various | back in the history of the modern intercourse Fined \$1, and ordered to pay \$1 amends to ways. Additions and repairs had been made, of China with foreigners and continued down and something had been written off to Depre- through the Macartney, and Amberst Embasciution Fund. But he might also remark that sies, the Missions of Lord Elgin in 1858 and of the amount shown as realised premiums on Mr. Ward, the American Minister, whon charged by P.C. 142 with stealing a basket of these shares was not really so large as it ap. Peking in July 1859, and continued up to the eggs, valued 50 cents, from a small boy 10 years peared on the accounts, because they were past year by various foreign Ministers—they bought cam dividend, and the amount of the must have come to u full comprehension of the "That the Report and Accounts of the Direc-

tors be accepted and passed." Mr. Miller seconded. The following is the report :-

vicenble lier. Of this length of frontage, the changes and improvements the Emporor Tung- constantly in view. right to use the portion opposite the Szilors' chi is, perhaps, to act an important part, and Home-about 130 feet-is held under lease from he may well have the good wishes of all thoughthe Trustees of that Institution, until the 1st ful foreigners and the prayers of all Christian January, 1876. Toprovide for this large increase of property, make his reign a blessing to the millions under 730 additional shares have been issued, in his sway.

accordance with resolution of the General Meeting held on Sth January, 1872. "The paid-up Capital of the Company now

And the property stands at a 258,670.41 ed Wan-a-bing, with the unlawful possession of Of the Capital Stock their remain unalloted 470 shares, of which 120 are in the hands of terms of the resolution of 8th January, 1872. "The results of the year's business, as shown in the accompanying accounts, are that; after

contributed business, in proportion to such contributions, in terms of clause 68 of the Deed

to the shareholders. It may be mentioned that

nery) and 22,883 tous of Coals and Flints; and they suffered a repulse. Inspector Grimes was then dispatched to get | the deliveries were 1,808,861 packages and some clue to the owner of the medals and 15,710 tons of Coals and Flints.

Mr. Young made a suggestion to the effect suspicion resting on a great number of things that effect met with no seconder.

At the proposition of Mr. Lang, seconded by

s.pin, Wong-s-tuk, Ng-s-thow, Ng-schong-teai, third of the whole business of the Company— sustained in Colonel Morkosoff's repulse should ally caused them to seek extended trading fewhich slyays distinguishes his action, and Long-ng-tsai, were charged by Tam-pang- consequently they might perhaps be of his opi be promptly countervailed, and that the swiftly. Intions with China.

was very careful not to overlook the teu, master of a fishing junk at anchor in Stan- nion, that it was nothing more than fair that flying rumour, which so peculiarly affects the man and Directors.

OF CHINA.

reckoned by Chinese usage to be 18 years of the whole Khanate under Russian rule.

by a thread, so to speak, on the death of his it and his throne to the energy and wisdom of Eastern Tomb, to perform the obsequies to his father's spirit, and knows nothing of the Eighteen Provinces and their Dependencies except by report. His education has been in the usual routine of classical studies, and The annual general meeting of shareholders practice in those accomplishments of ridand what have been the obief events during his nominal reign, we suppose he has almost no knowledge. Such is the seclusion in which he self have no popular opinion as to his character. and most of them care very little what he is or

> kept him entirely ignorant of his future duties, and we will hope for better things from their their positions and influence under the new

It is not at all certain that his guardlans have

people that the Governor of the Nations may

RUSSIA IN CENTRAL ASIA.

Under date of the Sth of January, a correspondent at St. Petersburg who enjoys exceptional facilities for obtaining trustworthy land

in England and in our Indian Empire:

taken for his personal name—and is the eighth of the country and the peculiar character of which keeps a man in a state of constant our eyes. We only require the smallest power sewereign of the Mancha (or Tsing) dynasty. the warfare which its inhabitants may be ex- oscillation between ruin and a fortune, which of mental concentration to transport ourselves The N. C. Daily News states that a meet. His personal name of Traishun is considered pected to wave. As, yet, the precise direction follows him home and prevents him from sleep- to any scene we like, and it is astonishing how ing of shareholders in the Hongkew Wharf too sacred to be used, and he will be generally from which the various columns will approach ing, is incomparably more trying than almost real everything appears. I will not aliade to company was held on the 28th ultime. The known abroad by the name of Tung-chi, i.e. their objective points is known only to a any quantity of downright steady work. The has been held. The accounts show a profit ornaments, their huge hide boots and their peoples. The direction of the concerted move- As, however, speculation has a comparatively and additional stock has been purchased; many it is picturesque,—the fading traces of a bygone mann, who has gained with some distinction, in more respectable rival, straightforward in pears in your paper to discuss this subject, peradvantage in the lower valley of the Amoo gaming-tables which exist in an infinite Spiritualism for some twelve months past, and

MALLEABLE GLASS. One of the last arts, which skill and science have for hundreds of years been making efforts to rediscover, is the production of malleable gluss, It was mentioned by many ancient writers, especially by Pliny, who speaks of its being indented when thrown on a hard substance and then hammered into shape again like brase. The world uses a vastly greater amount of glass now than during the earlier ages, but has never been able to overcome its brittleness. That a complished, and it would enter into uses not even suspected now, and probably dispute with iron itself for supremacy us an agent of divilization. A glass-spinner in Vienna has recently made a discovery that may lend to the recovery of the lost link in the chain of early invention. He is manfacturing a thread of this material, finer than a silk-worm's fibre, which is entering largely into the manufacture of a variety of new fabrics, such neckties, flyures in brocaded velvet and

cushions, carpets, tablecioths, shawls silk, embruidery, tapestry, laces and a multitude of other things. It is as soft as the finest wool, stronger than silk thread, and s not changed by heat, light, moisture or soids, not liable to fade. So important is the matter deemed that, while the process is kept a profound scoret, the Austrian Minister of Commerce has already organized schools for glass spinning in various places in Bohemia, and variety of manufactured articles are now for sale, and will no doubt soon reach America. It it shall end in the final rediscovery of malleable glass, so that it can be wrought or rolled into sheets, it will revolutionise much of the world's industry. Indeed, no one could safely predict to what uses it might not be applied, as the material is plentiful in all lands, Mankind have long waited for it. Let us hope the time is near when so great a boon will be voucheafed

HOME POLICY AS TO THE CHINA

to them .- Times.

TRADE. (China Overland T.ade Report.) One of the great difficulties which has to be guarded against by a commercial nation, is that, in burnuing its policy abroad, it may incur responsibilities which, as affairs become developed, will prove a source of anxiety, if not of impelled Great Britain to open up new fields of central station concerning a small boy missing, that stated. He did not know that there was All foreigners resident in China, or connected to involve the country in expensive and five hours a day may send you to an beer; but all the other speakers were pactical with it by the ties of commerce, kindred, or phi- some complications in distant parts of the leavily grave. Show a little common sense, and agriculturists. Very little satisfaction, howlantbropy, have many reasons for wishing a pros- world. It is impossible to deny that there is without injuring your health you may be as ever, was accorded to them by the right hon, perous reign to the youthful Monarch who has some found tion for such fears. The history voluminous an author as Voltaire, or do as gentleman, whose reply in effect was that the now assumed the Imperial Yellow, and that the of all great Empires points to territorial ex- inach legal or official work as the most indus- repeal was out of the question at present; inase premises was effected at the beginning of the amicable relations which have for some time tension as the cause of their ultimate decline trions Minister of the day, and see much as the state of revenue from the abnormal reconstruct the source of the second and the second state of the s with other adjoining properties, and by the and strengthened. The Chinese who are now enough reasons to lead to the conclusion that increasingly passing and repassing to foreign the British Empire will be an exception to this

lands in search of employment, trade, or learn. | rule. The bearing of this tendency to decening cannot fail to impart some new ideas to tralisation is no doubt modified in the present their countrymen; and though changes may be day by the telegraph, and by improved means slow among them, it is better that they should of intercommunication; but the difficulty is not be allow than subversive of rule, until the people entirely overcome, and it is not surprising that

responsibility of the mother country in all

Khiva which have aroused so much feeling both the extent, in some instances, of giving up to the question, he stopped me by the exclamation is inlent crimes which came with Christmas was meterial advantages secured when another tion, "Why you are a Rip Van Winkle, I concluded. At Ealing, it may be remembered, giving a summer of recomme, suspensed from a light for the year, and reserving Tis. 18,264.28 or pretext for its new invasion of Khiva—the In no direction probably has this tendency not from what I have seen done by profession—unned Trinder made a furious attack with a afterwards found out it had been stolen from a bion for the year, and reserving Tis. 18,264.28 or pretext for its new invasion of Khiva—the there remain for division Tls. 31,122. Out justification of the first attack, and the desire, China. When the Tientsin Treaty was ratified hundred times amongst my own friends. I been paying addresses, and then, leaving her Ho-a-foo, declared, said bimself and his bro- of this the sum of Tls. 11,922 was distri- or rather the necessity, of wiping out the in 1860, it was undoubtedly the intention of the assure you," he added, if you were to for dead, committed suicide in a most desperate ther are the head coolie masters to the new Pier buted on July let as an interim dividend to represent of a military failure. Refusing to British Government fully to obtain the priviaccept the messages of propitiation sent by the leges which the Trenty, at that time at all house opposite mine were to be seen has with difficulty recovered, gave evidence as in Tai-wan lane. The day previously be bought and the sum of Tis. 12,180 has to be similarly Khan of Khiva, and determined to draw the events, was held to grant. The right of trade walking out and piling themselves in the to the circumstances and manner of the crime; thirty-two bags of sice and placed them in the applied now to the payment of a like dividend utmost advantage from the wrongs which she and residence in the interior; the full exemp- middle of the street, I should regard it as and the jury returned a verdict that the saicide house on the upper floor. The defendant was on 263 shares, making 12 per cent. for the year. could charge upon his Government, Russia sent tion of foreign goods from any taxation beyond so much a matter of course that I would not had been committed while the deceased was in the net profits, is due to abareholders who have into the territory between the Caspian on one privileges, were considered as having been fully continued, "I have abandoned the question, Two of the men lately sentenced to death at side—the Aral Sea and Amoo Daria River on secured, and it was intended to preserve them not because I doubt it, for I am sure it is true, Dorham Assizes for the brutal murder of the other. This force, under command of But it was soon found that the maintenance of but because I am not quite sure whether this Joseph Waine, a street-sweeper, at Spennymoor, Colonel Morkosoff, had instructions to get as our full rights in China would, chiefly in con- communing with spirits is quite the right thing last November, were yesterday executed in "Onsidering the large outlay that has been plear as it possibly could to the city of Khiva, sequence of the Chinese Go. to do." As I looked flabbergasted and inquir- Durham County Prison. Four men were oriand even, it is believed, if fortune favoured the vernment, involve grave responsibilities in the ing, he added, "I will give you one seance I was ginally convicted of the crime, which was comrice was given him, and he was taking it to his ing business, the full returns on which have enterprise, to enter and occupy the place itself. way of affording protection to our trade, and in present at amongst my friends near Manchester. mitted in the most deliberate and cold-blooded not yet been realized, the Directors hope that The importance of such an acquisition could view of this fact the policy which had originally Wo were all friends together. A lady present the accounts now presented will be satisfactory bardly be exaggerated, for the Khivan capital forced the concessions from the Chinese was said she thought she could do something if we commands the lower course of the Amoo Daria changed, and our diplomatic representatives, would aid her, but that she could not succeed towards the Sea of Aral, and forms a most especially Sir Rutherford Alcock, seemed alone, not having the requisite amount of power. in the case of two, named Rice and Beesley, own districts, unless some difficulty 46, Stanley street, was charged by Inspector sundry exceptional expenses incidental to the potential point for the conduct of military only anxious to aid the Chinese in obtaining We then all sat round a round table, and after and their sentence was commuted to penul ser-J. H. Grimes, with the unlawful possession of a transfer of the business from Clyphant's Wharf- operations towards either the Affghan or the the benefit of the doubt in respect to every the lapse of the usual time, the table began to vitude for life. The existence of the other two, gold split ring, a gilt cash, also a fish knife, a and the organization of the present Company, Persian frontier. While Colonel Morkosoff's clause susceptible of doubt in its interpretation. turn, and at last so rapidly that we could hardly Slane and Hayes, was prolonged for a week, the coals" by their superiors. But even if lot of spoons and forks, is soup ladle, two amounting to about Tls. S.000; and a direct loss column was making its way scross the steppes. of Tis, 687.46—also exceptional—was sustained which lie between the Russian frontier and the taken up pressed very heavily upon a large Now go and sit down, I can do the rest my authorities in their arrangements with Calmedias and two chaps.

Inspector J. H. Griones, sworm, stated from by the discontinuance in February last of the city of Khiva, its progress was impeded and number of the interestile houses in China, and, self.' She then asked what we should like to craft; but both met their fate with fortitude, instructions received at the Court, in connec. Company's Fire Insurance on goods stored,—an harassed, though with slight effect, by the demand for rendition, as so long as an affair tion with a watch stolen from a gentleman item which beretofore has always shewn a pro-"A triffing increase has been made in the attack on the invaders took the shape of a large sums of money at the new ports and in Some one then asked it how many coppers a "Not guilty" was the verdict pronounced by charges for Wharfage on the steamers of great- surprise, which resulted in the capture of the other directions, under the impression that the certain gentleman present had in his pocket. the jury in the High Court of Justiciary at some gold rings with the stones taken out; est length which make use of the Wharf, but Russian camels and baggage. The reconnoise effect of the Tientain Treaty would be the bona It rapped with its foot three times. He had Edinburgh, in the case of the Wharf, but Russian camels and baggage. The reconnoise effect of the Tientain Treaty would be the bona It rapped with its foot three times. He had Edinburgh, in the case of the Wharf, but there were also small trickets found attached the general tariff for the discharge of ships and tring column, thus deprived of its essential fide opening of China to foreign trade. Of the just three-pence, It was then asked what silver der Currie, the station-master, and Robert to the chain, and a pair of gold spectacles, and onstody and delivery of cargo is still extremely means for carrying on the campaign, had no justice of mislending the mercantile men in I had in my pocket. I myself," he added, "did Ramsay, the pointsman, who had been charged the Russian Government would fain have it ed; but this did not much affect the Home no more. The table than told us the exact age of railway collision at Kirtlebridge Junction. believed that the troops returned after accom. Government, who were only too glad to leave every one present, and although in all at least At the Mausion House Police-court, Mr. engineer in H.M. Service, who had served in packages (including timber and heavy machi- plishing their object, the paintol fact is that affairs in China to take care of themselves. fity questions were asked, it not only made no Nicholas Antonio Calvo, a merchant, was

Six fishmongers, named Ching-tai-tsai, Lee- firm, Messers. Siemssen & Co., contributed one- fore, was it that the shock to Russian prestige be forced to act up to the policy which origin- from the body? Is there in nature such a thirty years as a trunk-maker, it would be to

OVER WORK. (Saturday Review.)

moned by the Emperor Alexander, over which real and not uncommon evil which is described reasoning leads up to the probability that the he presided in person, and at which, despite the under the name. Two men of equal strength strength within us is not dependent upon stroughy-neged opposition of Prince Gortscha- may be doing the same amount of actual work, the body, and we may go so far as to koff, it was decided by a large majority that a and yet one may be killing bimself, whilst the suppose reasonably that the body is rather THE ACCESSION OF THE EMPEROR new expedition to Khiva should be undertaken, other finds his duties mere child's play. The an obstacle to the spiritual force than with a force sufficiently powerful not only to reason is, of course, that one man's work is pro- any assistance. Now let us consider wheretaliate upon the Khan and his subjects the ductive of anxiety, whilst the other's may be ther the spirit is not also entirely the source of The long looked for accession of the Emperor affront to the Russian arms involved in the merely soothing. A speculator may spend a intelligence. People who sleep with their eyes. of China took place at Peking on the 23rd of defeat of Colonel Morkosoff and the raid on the very few hours in anything that can be called wide open see nothing. If the eye saw, we this month, or the 26th day of the lat moon of Khirgiz territory-but also to take possession business, but the difficulty is that be cannot should see always when our eyes are open; but the 12th year of his reign, when he himself was of the city of Khiva itself, and practically bring leave his business behind him. Anxiety about it is notorious that if in deep thought we may money is the most deadly of all troubles. When be looking straight into the face of a person uge, but was really only [6 years and 10 months | The invading force is to operate in three a man commits suicide, it is far less reasonable, and not see the grimaces he is making at us. old. He is the only son of the Emperor whose columns, each of them being commanded by a according to the old proverb, to ask. Who is Farther, whilst our eyes cannot see without the rough was known as Hienfong,—generally mis- General thoroughly acquainted with the nature slief than to ask, How much is it? Business spirit, our spirits can see very plainly without

accounts show a profit on the year's work. United Sway, the designation by which the chosen few, if it has even been fully decided. Stock Exchange at New York must fill lunatic stead of being necessary, may be rather ingeing of Tls. 44,386. It was agreed to pay a fur. years of his reign are called. In expectation of up m; one division, however, will, beyond any asylume more quickly than all the most laborious nious means of limiting our senses which, withther 6 per cont., making a total dividend of 12 the appronohing accession to sovereignty, and doubt, move westward from Tashkend. Alto Universities in Germany, England, and America. Out these appliances, might be much more accession to sovereignty, and per cent. for the year, on the paid-up capital, to do honor to the occasion. Peking has had gether the troops will number 12,000 men, with A professor may labour at the collation of tive and acute than they are. We have thus to divide Tle, 6,150 among contributing above for several weeks a large deputation of Mongo about 50 pieces of artillery—a small and manuscripts, or even at the search for the Ab- reasoned ourselves to the position that the body holders, and to reserve Tls. 13,264 for repairs lian princes with their families, and many how h inadequate force, it were not solute, for fifteen hours a day, and be all the is a mere instrument played upon by the spirit and depreciation account. Mesers. Lavers, Fuh, or Living Buddhas, gathered from all the remembered how powerfully the compact form- better for it; a third of the time spent in study- as a lady plays it, on a piano, a management of the time spent in study- as a lady plays it, on a piano, a management of the time spent in study- as a lady plays it, on a piano, a management of the time spent in study- as a lady plays it, on a piano, a management of the time spent in study- as a lady plays it, on a piano, a management of the time spent in study- as a lady plays it, on a piano, a management of the time spent in study- as a lady plays it, on a piano, a management of the time spent in study- as a lady plays it, on a piano, a management of the time spent in study- as a lady plays it, on a piano, a management of the time spent in study- as a lady plays it. formalities due to his rank were over, he was Wood, Barnes, Behn, and Michie were elected claus and aimaks scattered over the wide region ation, the strict discipline, and the intelligence ing the ups and downs of Evie Railroad shares, which the spirit throws off when it is no longer of Mongolia; these, dressed in their quaint at- of European troops can tell against the loose and staking money on the result, would qualify fit as its babitation. A meeting of members of the Shanghai Club tire, in their fure, their coral and turquoise order and the imperfect armament of the Asiatio him for a strait-waistoost or a halter in a year.

complaints of overwork are amongst the most tunately, the means of personal investigation flimsy of all the excuses set up by men for the ure within every one's reach. You have only evils which they bring upon themselves. Very to form a circle in your own family, and sit few people really work hard; and when they do, round a table for a couple of hours on a numt generally agrees with them. Directly or in- ber of evenings weekly, in a subdued light, directly, idieness does fifty times as much mis- keeping your minds as passive as possible, and chief, for the best cure for the love of excite- convincing phenomena are sure to follow. The ment is steady application. A vast amount of cry for scientific men to take up the subject good pity is thrown away in the world; and, seems to me very childish, for it is so much a instead of solemnly warning our friends not to matter of common sense that any sensible perdo too much, we should find it simpler to refuse | son is quite as good a judge of the reality of the the indirect compliment for which they are phenomena, and even their unquestionable managering, and advise them to relax their spiritual origin, as the most scientific professor minds by a litttle strenuous activity. When of the day. the danger really exists it may generally be remedied rather by redistributing the burden you are black in the face, you may adduce the than by diminishing it. A very slight physical most underiable evidence of facts, and you may exertion may injure a man for life, if only he stake your reputation for common sense and undertakes it in the wrong way. Try to lift a honesty, without making the slightest impresthousand pounds weight by a sudden jerk, and sion upon an unbeliever, excepting to evoke a you may probably break a bloodvessel. Divide smile of pity. And so it has been with the the weight into ten portions, and lift each press; although unquestionable and conclusive calculy by itself, and the exercise may do you written evidence exists sufficient to convince good. Run a mile after a hearty meal, and any unbiassed mind, the leaders of public opinion you may be injured for life; walk ten miles a bave unanimously ignored facts, and done their day, and you, may materially improve your best by sneers and ridicule to stifle the subject. bealth. The same principle is applicable to Even the Times, although at last forced to recog-

rules will be learnt by practice. The Lancet, I took years to arrive at for example, in a sensible paper on the subject, remarks upon the importance for men who work at night of having a white, powerful, and steady light concentrated upon their papers; flickering and diffused light being one of the most serious causes of brain irritation. Good food, with a moderate supply of stimulants, and a final pipe before turning into bed, is comfortable recommendation of the same authority; whilst, of course, excess in tobacco and

alcohol is a constant cause of the incapacity for sleep which is often compladently attributed; to overwork. The rule is, in short, that a man should take care that he gets good sleep and keeps his digestion in order. A little caprejudiced observation of his own symptoms will ment of his time and hubits, he will find that put into the hands of the rebels arms against be can do as much work with perfect impunity litself. as will serve him, if he so pleases, with an addanger. The constant necessity of finding new mirable excuse for committing suicide and be. and farmers, waited on the Chancellor of the outlets for the products of home industry, has coming a text for leading articles. It is not Exchequer yesterday in Downing-street to urge

> SCIENCE AND SPIRITUALISM. (Public Opinion.)

Sir,-I confess a month ago I regarded spirit- would have to pay their landlords. unlists with disdain. I argued as fur as spirit. rapping was concerned that a rap was the con- Trades Unions, which will continue throughout Q: late years there is evidence that this con- cussion of two solid bodies, and as a spirit was the week, and is expected to produce more than tingency has been strongly in the minds of not a body, spirits could not rap; but I confess usually important results. One handred and English statesmen, and this fact has done much the articles and correspondence in the Times, thirty delegates were present from all parts of to restrain both the Colonial and the Foreign if they have not entirely altered my opinion, England and from Scotland; and after the policy of Great Britain. Backed by a strong have caused me to think more seriously in re- formal preliminary business, the report of the public opinion, the Government at home has ference thereto. I have also, since the Times Parliamentary Committee was read by Mr. been disposed more and more to leave the has given space to the subject, had statements. Howell, who dwelt on the peculiar significance Colonies to take care of themselves, and to made to me by friends whose intelligence and both of the labour movements and of the labour abstain from pushing Colonial affairs in any character are above suspicion, which it is im- legislation of the year. A long paper, prepared way-which may increase the already large possible for me to be altogether uninfluenced by. by Mr. Henry Crompton, enforcing the present I, took the Times newspapers with me to a grievances of the trades unions, and indicating parts the world. In her foreign policy, Eng. friend who is a particularly shrewd man of the method of their remedy, was also read; and manifested a similar spirit, and has business, and who had never mentioned spirit- the Congress adjourned for the day. displayed a marked anxiety to steer clear of nalism to me. When I, in apologetic strain, Before Dr. Diplock, the Coroner for West

liave believed in spiritualism for fifteen years, under the influence of jealousy, a young man

That such was the case, at least in the belief | question of the revision of the Tientein Treaty | mistake." Now the gentleman who told me all | ing to extert the sum of £4,000 from Mr. Charles of the enemy, was clearly proved by the subse- brought the true state of affairs to the cogni- this I have known some time, but he had never Waring-a member of the well-known firm With a view to increasing the Company's quent action of the Khivans. Elated by their sance of the large home manufacturers, who mentioned spiritualism to me. This and similar of contractors and railway concessionsives—by On examination, the three clasps had the storage returns, a considerable reduction in the success—carried away, as most of those Central discovered to their sorprise the manner in evidences given me by others, have caused me threatening to publish a letter injurious to the names Sebastopell, Inkermann, and the one attariff on European manufactured goods was Asiatic peoples are apt to be, by a belief in their which the trading rights in China conceded by to think the matter through to see if I bould reputation of the house. Mr. Waring, who was tached to the medal, on the rim of which established on lat September last, and there is own invincibility and their perpetual tenure of was "Engineer's apprentice C. T. Hogan, reason to believe that this measure has been independent power—they made a descent in existing obstructions would be removed by the great force upon the country of the Khirgiz, proposed revision. If the merchants in China from what we know by a logical and reasonable was made, the alleged ground being apparently which is within the Russian confines, though could be overlooked, the manufacturers at home transition up to spiritualism. Let us consider some grievance or injury sustained by a person not entirely reconciled to the Russian rule. In had to be listened to. The Convention was re- what we know. We know that the human on whose behalf Mr. Caivo professed to act. the steppes of the Khirgiz the "raiders" com- jected, and from that time there has been a body, so strong and so intelligent when animat- The case was adjourned till the 22nd inst., bail yet, but asked for time to investigate the whole, a dividend was declared, but a proposition to mitted extensive and cruel depredations, growing feeling at home that something should led-by the spirit, is the deadest of all things to the extent of £2,000 being required. plundering and destroying wherever they came, be done to make the large field of China more when bereft of the spirit, at least if heat be an One of those oness in which the police do not except in the cases—not by any means rare— extensively available as a market for the pro- element of life, for there is more beat in a come off with flying colours was heard at Hamwhere they found friends and sympathisers ducts of British industry. That there is room mahogany table than there is in a double body. meremith, where the magistrate discharged, and defendant admitted to bail in one house- 6 per cent should be paid to the shareholders, among the original nomadic possessors of this for a vast extension of the trade at present When we see the muscle swell and the sinew "without a stain on his character," a man wild and thinly-peopled region. Indeed, it is existing, can hardly be open to doubt, and the strain, we are apt to take it for granted that whom the constables had represented as assist. holders contributing business, pro rata accord. not concealed from their own consciousness by time is coming when this question must be the body is not only the seat of atrength but ing snother prisoner to escape, and also ext at those who guide the operations of Russia in seriously taken up. The fear of responsibility the source. Now this is clearly not the case. liberty that prisoner himself, on the ground Contral Asia, that the Muscovite rule is not so keeps the Government back; the necessity for We know that the spirit suddenly frightened. that the evidence of the police was unsatisfachaving several packages of merchandise pack. Burnes, O. C. Behn, and A. Michie, were aphas been wanted to believe—that the Asiatic facturers forward, and matters must reach a person, with great plack, will thrash a man who mind does not appreciate the European form of point where, however desirous the Home Go- can lift a heavier weight. The question now

a room with the windows and doors all closed, and after having melted the bell-The complaint of overwork, when it has some wire will twist the fire-irons as if they genuine foundation, is generally founded upon were morsels of sewing cotton, and it will rend a misconception. There is undoubtedly a very the strongest edifice from top to bottom. This

C. W. STOKES.

Sir,-Apropos of the suggestion which ap-I have become convinced of the trath of we have injured ourselves by over applicat with nine persons out of ten, and that the only possible way aceptics will ever be convinced is As a rule, therefore, we should say that the by personal experience and investigation. For-

Experience teaches me that you may talk till intellectual labour. To lay down any general nise it, coully speaks of the Dialectical Society's rules is impossible, because constitutions vary Report as a mass of menningless nonsense, and infinitely. One man requires twice as much then proceeds to relate precisely analogous exsleep as another; one man can do work before periences of its own reporter, wherein the breakfast when another finds it answer better editor commits himself to facts, upon the result to sit up at night, and so on. A few practical of one scance, which the Dialectical Society

I remain, yours obediently, A MANCHESTER SPIRITUALIST.

SUMMARIES OF HOME NEWS FROM THE LONDON DAILY PAPERS.

(Daily Telegraph.)
TUESDAY, 14th January, 1878. Serious domestic embarrassment is threatened to the Spanish Government from the reforms in Porto Rico-proposed as a kind of sop to the United States, which, with such awkward persistence, urges emancipation in Cuba. Unionists, Moderate Alphonsists, Constitutional Carlists, and others among the interminable variety of fractions into which the Spanish Cortes are broken up, have banded together to denounce teach a man of ordinary sense how to keep the impolicy of immediate abolition, and the himself in health; and, by a judicious arrange- general course of the Government, which will

A numerous deputation, consisting of M P.'s overwork that should be denounced, but the on him the grievance to the agricultural interpressing himself at all unfavourably to the idea of chesp beer, he advised the tenant farmers to get rid of the notion that they would benefit from the repeal of the mait-tax, the effect of which would only be to increase the reut they

At Leads beg in the fifth annual Congress of

with regard to those Russian operations against every chance of distant complications, even to began to plead that there might be two sides Middlesex, the inquiry into one of the crop of

death by the heavy boots of his assailants; but extenuating circumstances were put forward

"I declare, Mr. Boxer, it seems you have read he would like to bring to its notice that his Government. All the more desirable, there- vernment may be for the contrary, they will arises, has the spirit strength when separate everything." "Why, ma'am, after working

NEWSPAPER DECENCY. (Salurday Review.) Public decency has, it seems to us, rather a

than one of the morning journals, for the munnor in which they have treated the Emperor's them. This is a subject (says the Law Times) death as a matter of news. that the public required to know was the gene- Mr. James and the Benchers, but it is deplora- FRENCH FLOWERS AND MILLINERY, ral course of the malady; how the Emperor bore | ble that any tribunal having at their mercy the the successive operations, the nature of which reputations and fortunes of some thousands of everybody understood perfectly well without professional men, should be open to such imspecific description; whether he kept up his putations. That this should be the case is not strength; whether the doctors were hopeful, altogether the fault of Mr. James. The Benchers and everything going on well; or whether the of the Imis of Court would be the professional patient's condition had taken an unfavourable competitors of a member of the Bar holding the turn. All this might have been told without any rank of Queen's Counsel, and it is not desirable violation of decency or decorum, . . .

-Unfortunately several of the morning journals have thought differently. These are days their judgment, subject to an appeal which is of close newspaper competition and eager enterprise, and all is fish that comes to their nots. An Emperor's disease, no matter what it is, is an article of commerce like anything clse, and est, was a brilliant organieut of the Bar; and must be made the most of And so the dead man's miseries, and all the dark and horrible scorets of human suffering, are hawked about the streets like costermonyors' wares. "Special Report - His Lutest Moments!" bawls the is satisfactory, however, to reflect that he will Standard; "Special Medical Details!" pipes the Daily Nows. The Standard, to do it justice. judges, and that if injustice bus been done it lete alone the medical part of the story. But will be redressed. it draws aside the curtain from a family sorrow which the commonest instincts of humanity should have taught it to respect. And the same may be said of the Dally Telegraph. thrusts us into the chamber of death, and makes a show of the stricken widow and her boy. The Times reproduced in a modified form, and with judicious excisions, the detailed medical record which is published by the Land to The Duily News and Post reprint the medical report without even the softening of a word; they shrink from nothing: . It is of course natural and necessary in the interests of science that professional journals should publish information of this kind. They do not appeal to the general publie, and the professional men who read them are not gratifying a morbid and impertment curiosity in studying the minutest particulars poses of comparison, &c., the originals shall be of disease. Whether the medical journals should be in such violent basts to print their secrets | is mother question. Science would hardly suffer even if the disclosures were postponed until the subject of them had been committed to the tomb. For the publication of such articles in a journal intended for general, and especially for family, circulation up excuse can be alleged. It sunnot be pretended that it is done in the interests of science, for the multitude is not scientific. It is impossible to doubt that prominence and publicity are given to these painful and disgusting details purely for the sake of pandering to a prarient and vicious ___cariosity. Unfortunitely there are people who like to pry into librable things, and to gloat wer the awful secrets of disease and death. For our own part, we do not believe that journals which deliberately set themselves to fester and gratify these vile and morbid appetites are really serving their own personal interests. They disgust and sicken more people than they please. Good feeling as well as good taste is outraged by this loud and shameless traffic in the sad mysteries of the sick-room, the agonies of the dying, and the fresh overwhelming sorrow of the bereated family, the widow's serrow. and the orphan's tears. There is something mexpressibly revolting in this prying and . peeping into a sacred scene, this twitching of the ghouls at the coverlet of the sick-bed, and this hasty public autopsy in the streets the

UNDISCOVERED CRIMINALS.

instant the dead man has censed to breathe.

(Times of India.) terminated in an open verdict, and as yet the \$620, steady; Malwa, \$590 to \$600. solution of the mystery appears as far off as it was on the 18th of December last. "Indeed, the case and its attendant circumstances seem to Or Loydon .have gradually ceased to occupy public attention. Since the day of Michael DeGa's release, it has gradually declined from that foremost position amongst conversational topics which up till that period it occupied; and persons are not wanting who uffirm, that his arrest, made ostensibly on suspicion, was but a sop to public. opinion, which demanded that somebody, it did not care much who, should be taken into custody, so that it might have something to On Calcurra. -Bank, 3 days' sight 2271 Yest on, and somebody to speculate about. On Shanghal .-Subsequent events proved that the police were unable to produce any evidence which tended to throw more than a suspicion on Michael DeGa, and he was at once dubbed guilty by those who pretended to know something more of the case than had been had before the public. A local contemporary went to the extent of devoting a column, to prove, on the evidence on which the coroner's jary had found themselves unable to return anything beyond an open verdict, that the man released from custody was the poisoner. The enquiring public finding that prop to the theory which it had constructed knocked away, turned to the other support-the police. Firm was the reliance placed by everybody on the detective abilities of the Khan Bahadoor, and his two assistants Abdool and Ahmed Ally; and it was known the enquiry into the case was personally conducted by the acting Deputy Commissioner, and the best European detective officer which Bombay. possesses, Superintendent Mills. Yet, with all these detectives, some of them of acknowledged

it would endanger the safety of the case up, were they to introduce the public behind the detective skill is unravelling the tangled skilfully. Yet, it may fairly be inferred that, for the sake of their own reputation, of which detectives, the Bombuy thie catchers at any rate, are proverbially jealous, they would find Hongkong Pier and Godown Company .- 30 some means of satisfying the public mind as to their proceedings, were their efforts at all promising. The missing link, since the commencement, has been the absence of any clue to the mun, who conveyed the cakes to the house in Grant Road. On his discovery the police rest their hopes of bringing the poisoner to justice; so until he is found it seems there is but small chance of any satisfactory termination to their enquiry. The popular belief is that the man who conveyed the cakes to the Grant Road house was none other than the poisoner in disguise, and mee to local trader. some portions of the evidence taken at the inquest afford very fair ground for basing this sup- | Hop-hing to Macao merchant position upon. What view the police take on this point-supposing them to have arrived at any definite conclusion-it is impossible to say. The other case, now known as the "DeGa conspiracy case," demonstrated how apt our detectives are at laying neat traps into which would be evil-doors fall without giving much trouble, but as far as can be at present deter- tsung-tye to local trader: mined, the poisoning will prove that in that department of detective duty—the following up of an almost imperceptible clue, until it leads to important results, which requires something fook-we to travelling merchant. more than ordinary detective abilty-our police are decidedly inefficient. It is for them to prove mow-loong to travelling trader, conclusively that they are not, and to remove the depreciatory impression which is fast gaining by Kwong-yuet-loy to local trader. ground. It has been remarked that " Detectives. like poets, are born, not made; " whether that | chong to local trader. is to be borne out by experience or otherwise, a net very distant period will determine.

THE OSCILLATIONS OF SHIPS MADE USEFUL. M. Guzman, of France, has lately published in the Annales du Génie Civil an elaborate essay, proposing to atilize the inertia of a snitably suspended and freely oscillating body, such, for instance, as a heavy pendulum so placed on a vessel as to be swayed by the action of pitching and rolling, and by suitable mechanism which operates a pump and keeps the ship dry. MR. EDWIN JAMES'S PETITION FOR

REINSTATOMENT. It is not probable that any observations which we might offer could affect the result of the petition which has been presented by Mr. Edwin James to the Common Law Judges by way of appeal from the decision of the Benchers of the Inner Temple. But it is not to be concealed that Mr. Edwin James profess very grave charges against the body who acted as a TIAVE just feceived, ex French Mail. court of inquiry and disbarred him. He does not allege merely that they formed an inaccurate opinion, and crrived at a wrong conclusion, but he says that his judges were his accusers. serious quarrel with the conductors of more and that they took cognisance of private mattors which were not in any way brought before All about which no one can know anything save With White and Colored Figures and Stripes that the question whether he should be professionally extinguished or not, should rest in unlikely, as a rule, to be successful. The profession cannot full to sympathize with the misfurtunes of one who in the memory of the youngit is much to be regretted that he should be driven to rake up the ashes of an old scandal more particularly as the result in a professional point of view cannot be very substantial. It receive a patient hearing at the bunds of the

> PROOF OF TELEGRAPHIC MESSAGES A member of the Northern Circuit has pointed out, in a letter to the Times, the difficuly of proving contracts within the Statute of Frauds, where the party sought to be bound has shit his message by telegraph. He states but at the end of six months the originals of telegraphic despatches are destroyed, in accordance with the routine of the department : and that, unless the dispute between sender and receiver has ripened within that time. the plaintiff is pretty sure not to have accured the original memorandom signed by the defendant or his agent, before its destruction at the Post Office. Now, Mr. Lascelles proposes that after the expiration of some such fixed term as the Post Office may deem necessary for the purowarded to the persons to whom they are addressed upon the request of such persons provided such request be made within a fixed period-say of six months. This seems a valu able suggestion, but we are rather inclined to think that the original of every telegraphic despatch ought to be forwarded to the party addressed at the earliest date consistent with the arrangements of the Post Office. Of course this plan would entail some additional cost on he Post Office; but the senders should be compelled to fold the messages, and deliver them in open addressed envelopes to the operator. This scheme would be productive of good in three ways. First, an error in the telegraphic message would be corrected by the despatch itself, and in many cases the mischief likely to arise from the error might be averted. Second the receiver of the message and original despatch would always be able to adduce proof to estisfy the Statute of Frauds, assuming the memorandum itself to be sufficient. Third, a more effective stop would be put on, false, supposititions, and libellous messages; because the party addressed would at once be put in possession of the manuscript of the actual sender. At the present price of inland messages, we, Law Journal, should think that the depurt ment ought not to begrudge the public every reasonable help in the transactions of business, | • PORTER. even at the risk of some additional expense in the employment of folders and the extra bulk. of the muila.

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Rongkong, February 27th, 1873.

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this Port for the above places. · Cargo and Specie will be registered for Lon- United States' Mail Packets, and that Letters don as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in for Hongkong and places beyond Hongkong. transit through Marseilles for the principal may be forwarded from Nagasaki and Hiogo places of Europe. Shipping orders will be granted till noon, and | Shanghai and Yokohama respectively. Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M., Specie and Parcels until 8 o'clock P.M. on the respondence is four cents for each half-ounce. 12th March, 1873. (Parcels are not to be sent on Letters, two cents on each Newspaper, and on board; they must be left at the Agency's two cents on each two onness of Books and

For further particulars, apply at the Com. | Postage at present in force. pany's Office. C. BERTRAND.

Hongkong, 27th February, 1873,

Post-Office Notifications.

MAILS BY THE "FRENCH PACKET." The French Mail Packet "SINDH" will To and through the United Kingdom via TERMS .- Pupils under 13 years ... 40 guineas. Marseilles; to France and other Continental States (in a closed mail to France), to Saigon,

> . The Post Office will be open for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Newspapers, Books, &c., until 11 A.M. on the 13th March, after which no Letters can be received. Money Orders on any of the Money Order-Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted Letters for Registration will be received until-10 A.M. on the 13th March.

F. W. MITCHELL,

Postmaster General, General Post Office, Hongkong, 27th February, 1873.

It is hereby notified that henceforward the postage on letters addressed to Newfoundland, which must be paid in advance, will be as fol-

When forwarded via 34 cents each 4-ounce When forwarded via ? 3 Marseilles When forwarded via \ 28

Southampton F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General General Post-Office,

Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873. It is bereby notified that henceforward the postage on letters addressed to Denmark, when forwarded via Southampton, will be 28-cents

per half-ounce, prepayment optional. Unpaid letters will be subject to an additional charge on delivery. F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General

General Post-Office, Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873. It is hereby notified that henceforward the postage on letters addressed to Norway, when forwarded via Southampton, will be 34 cents per half-ounce, prepayment optional. Unpaid

letters will be subject to an additional charge

F. W. MITCHELL: Postmaster General General Post-Office

on delivery.

Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873. The Post Office of Victoria (Australia) having given notice to the General Post Office in London that articles of Jewellery received in that Colony are chargeable with Customs Duties. the undersigned considers it necessary to make. this Regulation known to the Public, and to state that any letters or packets containing such articles sent through the Post are liable; with their contents, to be forfeited.

F. W. MITCHELL.

Posimaster General. General Post-Office

charge on delivery.

Hongkong, 2nd January, 1873. It is hereby notified for general information, that the Postage on Letters addressed to Norway, when forwarded via Southampton, will benceforward be 36 cents for each balf ounce, which may either be paid in advance, or it may be left to be collected on delivery of the Letters. Unpaid Letters will be subject to an additional

F. W. MITCHELL, Posimaster General. General Post Office. - Hongkong, 28rd August, 1870. It is hereby notified for general information that benceforward the Postage on Letters ad-

dressed to Russia, when marked to be forward-

ed vià Southampton, will be reduced to 40 cents

per half-ounce. F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster-General.

General Post Office, Hongkong, 18th September, 1872. It is hereby notified that the rates of postage chargeable henceforth on Letters addressed to the United Kingdom, and to places beyond the United Kingdom, when forwarded by French Packet, will be the same as those chargeable on

F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General.

General Post Office, Hongkong, 29th April, 1872. It is hereby notified that Letters addressed to France may be sent either paid or unpaid at

the option of the sender; but the postage on

Prices Current, Newspapers and Books caunot be prepaid. For each tounce The rate of postage chargeable on Letters addressed to France per French Packet is...... 12 cents. Per British Packet when marked via

Per British Packet when marked via

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General.

Hongkong, 2nd April, 1872. It is hereby notified for general information that on and after the lat August next, the Commission chargeable on Money Orders issued upon the United Kingdom at Hongkong.

On sums not exceeding £2...........18 cents. Above £2 and not exceeding £5...36 Above £5 and not exceeding £7...54 Above £7 and not exceeding £10..72 F. W. MITCHELL, osimaster General.

General Post Office,

Hongkong, 15th July, 1870. It is hereby notified that henceforward the rates of postage which must be paid in advance. chargeable on Packets of printed papers or patterns of light weight sent from Hongkong

to the United Kingdom by the United States.

Packets via San Francisco, will be as follows For a packet not exceeding 1 ounce in weight..... 2 cents For a packet above I ounce not exceeding 2 ounces...... 4 ,, For a packet above 2 ounces not ex-

ceeding 4 ounces...... 8 and eight cents for every additional four ounces. These rates apply to Printed Circulurs, Price Lists, Market Reports, and all printed papers

and Trade Patterns or Samples. F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. Hongkong, 12th April, 1870.

Arrangements baving been made under which Mails for London arriving at Sucz from Ohina by Private Ships will be forwarded to destination via Brindisi, it is hereby notified that the rates of postage, which must be paid in advance, on correspondence addressed to the United Kingdom so forwarded, will be as fullows, viz. :--

For Letters24 cents per half ounce. f not exceeding lounce 4 cents. Patterne.... every additional 4 ., 12

General Post Office.

It is hereby notified that arrangements have been completed under which correspondence SENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave from Hongkong may be forwarded to Nagasaki via Shanghai, and to Hiogo via Yokohama, by by means of the United States' Packets via

Office.) Contents and value of Packages are Packets of Samples of Merchandize, in addition to the Rates specified in the Table of Rates of F. W. MITCHELL.

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Postmaster General. Hongkong, 20th December, 1871.

The rates of postage chargeable on such cor-

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debt; but, happily, landing at Dover, he lantern in hand, waiting. went to London. However, this affair . Who are you?" asked Osman. spoiled Joe's expiring credit; for next morning a couple of bailiffs seized him in an but speak to him and he'll pay the debt and inc. complied not, paid the debt and charges." ranged and fit for use.

for her husband." A SPECTRE STORY.

the Virgin appeared, and said 'Arise Joe." in an eastern bath, consisting of very toga-

(From the Cornhill Magazine.) tan ideas, somewhat of what a theatre or an or some other bather like themselves should opera-house may be to a "strict" evangelical, enter. Osman, who had now no doubts left in which is unfortunately too often justified in of his companion, could not resist the tempthese regions by fact, creates a haif-anticipa- | tation of recounting to him the previous adtion of meeting evil influences there-a venture of the night. So he told how he had dread which chance, solitude, or any other been awakened and beguiled out of doors by terrifying cause, may readily heighten into a phantom exactly resembling in shape and precise sort, have been seen in the Xenos they had almost arrived at the bath, when consus is yet in its infancy in Turkey-but in was by the portentous feat already described. under forty years of age; but smitten with of the big minaret, did it? But do you and from time to time wandering also in with the words, he lifted a leg and a foot, night in the bath-house of Xenes six years they highest point of the central vault above dealy awakened by a sharp knocking at the the alarm of both, the same rap that had bounded induence over all who knew him, door. Getting quickly up and opening it to twice been heard before was repeated out- and particularly with the so-called "Supreme see what was the matter, he beheld standing side. Osman's wife, naturally enough, en- Ruler of Heaven and Sovereign of the Unioutside what he supposed to be his com-treated her husband to pay no attention to panion of the evening before, with a lantern it. But like Tam-o'-Shanter in a similarin his hand. The night was still, warm, and case, he would not take advice:overcast with low misty clouds, as nights often are here during the winter solstice, cold and storm rarely setting in before mid-Janu-

"What has brought you here so early?"

Hearing all this, Osman supposed that he seemed his friend, waiting. the house, dressed himself, and came out. how come you to be in such a dress?" His friend was still waiting for him, lantern they came out on the little open space close time it be a phantom, too, like the others, by the coffee-house where Osman had spent may as well provoke it to show its true ordered that the robe should be immediately the evening, where stands a poble plane-tree, character at once, before we go further." and opposite, beyond, is the low, dark entrance But his friend, on hearing all this, ex. directly array himself in it and appear in of the bath they were going to. But on one pressed the utmost astonishment. murky night.

Osman looked east, but there was no hint fancy to them."

voice, that made his companion start. till it reached the minaret, and hung the was heated, they might as well make use of through the virtue and influence of one honest. Chiuglantern on the pointed summit, where it re- it; so the two entered the inner room, there man, say Chinese historians!

come to me to-merrow and I'll satisfy you.' doubt. Still, he refrained from mentioning uor even till late the following morning. ging himself with his device, also went his be laughed at or disbelieved. They passed VICE AND VIRTUE; OR, THE QUEEN The men bowed and went away; Joe, hug- the incident of an hour before, lest he should In the morning the bailiffs, expecting the open place, the plane-tree, and reached the debt and charges, repaired to the Bish- the bath. To their surprise-Osman's, at op's. 'Well,' said he, what are your seru- least-its door stood wide open, and the enples of conscience?' 'Scruples!' said the trance-hall was fully lighted up ; yet no one bailiffs, 'we have no scruples. We are appeared to be moving within; the head bailiffs, my Lord, who yesterday arrested bath-keeper's accustomed place was empty; your cousin Joe Haines, for £20. Your nor did any attendants come forward to meet great beauty, discernment, unblushing arlordship promised to satisfy us to-day, and them. But the bathing wrappers, towels, we hope your Lordship will be as good as and other requisites were all ready put out; your word. The Bishop, reflecting that his some hung up, some lying, folded in their honor and name would be exposed if he proper places; everything was neatly ar-

Quin told the following story of Haines: In "They must have got the bath in order, James II.'s time, when Popery was a road to and then, finding that nobody came, have preferment, he among others, professed him- turned in again for a nap," said Osmau's self a convert, and declared that the Virgin companion.

had appeared to him. Lord Sutherland "Well, till some one awakes, we had best sent for Haines, and asked him about the change our dress, and make ourselves comtruth of his conversion, and whether he had fortable, for the meantime, in the heatingreally seen the Virgin? "Yes, my Lord; room."

"You lie, you rogue!" said the carl, "if it like wrappers, and went into the large vaulthad been the Virgin she would have said ed inner room, which was also lighted up ' Joseph ' it it had only been out of respect and ready warmed. Here they lay down on the raised stone dais against the wall, with five feet overhead, and the lamp banging most abject homage and unquestioning obedidown from it in the centre. While they thus A public bath-house is, even in Mahome- reclined at ease, waiting till either a servant yet lives a man of respectable family and narrator concluded: "So," he subjoined, "it were ever allowed to bloom in the capital condition, married, well-off for means, and hung the lantern it was carrying on the top during her reign! premature decrepitude, half-palsied in body, think he could have managed this?" and was fair as a lily, or beautiful as a lotus mind, incapable alike of business and enjoy- which suddenly lengthened out just as the lotus as beautiful as Her Majesty! This wretched condition dates from a arm had done before, and with a kick struck back, under the circumstances which I will them, shattering to pieces the lamp where it to the Dynasty. When too old and infirm now relate as they were told me by a mem-ber of the sufferer's own family: the matter might be, and found himself alone in pitch Throne, to her brother, in place of the being was one of general notoriety in the town. It darkness, for every light in the bath had apparent her own son, that her name might was in the Mahometan or lunar month of been instantaneously extinguished. How- be perpetuated, justly fearing that the son Sha'aban, which that year corresponded pret- ever, as he had often been in the building would give his father's name to the Dynasty: ty nearly with our December, and which, as before, and was thoroughly well acquainted But, she was prevented from carrying into preceding the thirty-days' yearly feast of with it, he managed, in spite of his trepida-Ramadhan, is in some measure a festive tion, to find his way to the door, and rushed Minister Tih-jen-kih, who placed her son on time for the followers of the Prophet, a sort out, in bathing costume as he was, into the Throne and obliged her, very unof Carnival before their severe Lent. Osman open air, leaving his own clothes, which he willingly, to take the place of Empress Kaleeb-Zadeh, to give him his name in full, did not venture to search after, behind him Downger, still calling herself "The Incomhad sat up one night till rather late in one in the entrance room. But as he crossed the parable One!" And all the wise of her of the coffee-houses—here the ordinary social open space between the coffee-house and the Court agreed that she was so in cruelty and resorts—of the quarter, amusing himself, bath, he looked back, and, to his horror, saw arrogance, and in every variety of wickedafter the fashion of the country, by playing the dim and distant top of the minaret within ness and crime. In striking contrast with backgammon with a friend of his own age and the fortress once more lighted up by the this extraordinary woman the Chinese place position, and chatting on the ordinary topics spectral lantern banging there. Chill and of the time. When the coffee house had to trembling, he at last got back to his own said to be the only person in the Empire for be closed, a little before midnight, they were house. There he found his wife fast asleep; described as a man of commanding presence, the last to leave it; and before parting for and much, was she surprised when he woke the night they agreed to meet early by the her to see him so quickly returned, and in of extensive and varied learning, of great first dawn at the public bath close by, and such strange attire. He now made a clean strength of mind, with an inexorable will and afterwards to go together into town upon breast of it, telling her of all that had hap sound judgment, devoting himself with pasome business which they had arranged in pened to him that night from first to last, common. They then separated. Osman went and adding, that when the day was up he to the best interests of the Empire. He home and to bed, intending to be up before would return to the bath and fetch his clothes always showed the greatest consideration for daybreak and join his friend at the bath, from where he had left them. But hardly others, and his manners were so yielding, But in the middle of his sleep he was sud- had he finished his narration when, to graceful and courteous, that he gained un-

> Ab, gentle dames ! it gues me greet, To think how monie counsels aweet. How monie lengthen'd sage advices, The husband frae the wife despises!

looks in the dusk, and how high!" he ex- gether, and soon stood before the bath. As destruction by placing the righful "Not so very far off, nor so very high interior of the building brightly lighted up, retain the "old man" always first in his Christing neither," said the other, in a strange altered but neither bathkeeper at the entrance, nor counsels and in his Cabinet Councils, - gradu- Faugh any other living creature. Osman went to ally men of worth and influence returned to Harwic "Suppose we just light it up-shall I?" the corner where he had first undressed, and the Court and gathered around them, order And without waiting for an answer, he there found his clothes lying, untouched and was restored, wise laws enacted, the Empire Nyassa stretched out his arm, which suddenly folded, exactly as he had left them. His first egain prospered, and the son of "Heavenly lengthened right across the valley before impulse was to put them on without delay; Example" proved one of the best and most Andam. then, the city walls, and the houses beyond, but his friend suggested that, as the bat's efficient sovereigns of the age. And all China

inained suspended, glittering like a star in | to wait till the ordinary attendants should enter on service. They sat awhile and talk-Terrified at the sight, Osman turned to ed; no one came. But suddenly a confused ask-but his companion had vanished, and noise, like that of a crowd, was heard pro-The Sunday Times, answering a cor- he was all alone under the plane-tree in the ceeding from one of the dim corner recesses respondent, revives the memory of the silent night. Without waiting for more, he of the hall. Osman looked that way, but once famous Joe Haines, who died in 1701. hurried back as best he might to his own saw nothing: then turning his bend back as He is said to have been a person of great house, entered, and threw himself dressed as moment towards his seeming friend, perceivfacotiousness and readiness of wit, which, to- he was upon the bed. His wife woke up, ed that his face was changed and herrible, gether with his inimitable performances on and inquired what had happened him and his stature gigantic. And now from the the stage as a comedian, introduced him not where he had been. He gave some evasive dark niche whence the sound had been heard at current rates. only to the acquaintance but the familiarity answer, and then by quiet, pretending to go issued a long procession of countless figures of persons of the first rank. His forte seems to sleep, and wishing for the morning. Only |-men, women, children, on foot, on horse to have been in speaking prologues and epi- a few minutes, however, had thus passed, back, armed, unarmed, soldiers, peasants, logues, particularly those written by himself. when rap it came at the door again. Osman townsfolk, spears, lances, swords, drum, files; Anthony Aston said, "Joe Haines is more turned a deaf ear at first; but when it was a mixed multitude, large, small, grotesque, remarkable for the witty though wicked repeated his wife awoke, and, not suspecting fearful, hideous. They filled the entire place; pranks he played, and his prologues and what had occurred before, begged her husband they swarmed round Osman; they pointed epilogues, than for acting. He was, at to get up and see who was outside. Ashamed at him, they laughed, they danced, they first, a dancer. After he had made his to own either his fears or their cause; Osman clamoured, they sung, they played the tour of France he narrowly escaped being reluctantly rose, left the room, and opened strangest antics, till in a moment, as the first an English peer and running 3,000 livres in his friend-or the semblance of his friend- and morning prayer sounded from the (such changes to take effect from 1st Novem- liey. minaret gallery of the old mosque outside, they all vanished into nothing; the lights went suddenly out; and Osman, left alone "Why, do you not know me?" said be, and in darkness, fell fainting on the stone action of £20, as the Bishop of Ely was "Were we not playing backgammon together pavement of the floor. There he repassing by in his coach. Quoth Joe, to the last evening? and did we not agree to go mained till he was thus found by the bath-

bailiffs, 'Gentleman, here is my cousin, the together to the bath this morning? Come keeper who entered at daylight, and was Bishop of Ely, going into his house; let me along, or we shall be late; the day is break carried home, still insensible. But before long he recovered consciousness, and told his charges. The bailiffs thought they might do Form, voice, manner, all were those of his story; for some hours, even, he seemed none that, as they were within three or four yards friend. Osman felt again ashamed to hint the worse for his spectral adventure. As of him. So up goes Joe to the coach, pulling his suspicions; so he determined to put a evening approached, however, fever came on, off his hat, and got close to it. The Bishop bold face on it, and accompanied the other and he for several days was like to die; when ordered the coach to stop, whilst Joe, close into the street. Before they had gone far he the crisis had past, it left him paralytic, to his ear, said softly, 'My Lord, here are himself learnt to despise his own fears; so hopelessly impaired in mind and body, a two mon who have such great scruples of thoroughly did the easy and straightforward mere wreck. Such he now continues. His conscience that I fear they'll hang them- talk of the one at his side assure him that friend, whose semblance the "mocker" had part solves.' 'Very well,' said the Bishop; so, this time it was no tricky phantom, but a thrice assumed, had never, as they afterwards enr calling to the bailiffs, he said. You two men real living "man and brother" beyond a found, left his house during that fatal night,

> Wu-tseh-tien, a Military Queen, disant," Example of the Will of Heaven, was a bold unprincipled woman, who filled the throne for a number of years during the Tang dynasty. She was remarkable for her sition so fierce and cruel that she delighted in in the infliction of suffering, and stopped at C nothing in the accomplishment of her nefarious plans and intrigues. She hated truth I and virtue; and to wreak her vengeance E upon the innocent by inhuman tortures, in K nutting them to death, or by tearing them ! away from their families, was the special pastime which seemed to afford her the highest gratification. Even in her Edicts she shocked the statesmen of the Court by P profauely styling herself The Supreme Ruler of Heaven, The Most Holy God and R

I assure you it is a fact." "How was it, | . Osman agreed, and the two exchanged-their Sovereign of the Universe and Author of Si pray?" "Why, as I was lying in my bed, out-of-doors dress for the costume ordinary Life! Hardly a man of truth and integrity | S remained in the State Councils, as she gave | the highest offices to abandoned women and v infamous men, loading them with riches and honours in proportion to their vices and crimes, provided, always, they paid her the Hanlin into an Imperial harem, and conferred the highest literary degrees upon the most shameless and notoriously vile women, exhardly a "proper" place; and this notion, his mind as to the real and bodily identity hausting all arts of skill and deception in and prove herself a Supreme Being, even forcing flowers to bloom by artificial means, and then commanding them to open in the presence of her courtiers. One day, after vision. How many goblins; and of what voice the friend now beside him, and how commanding some Montan flowers to open, hamman, in Trebizond, I do not know—the the spectre betrayed itself for what it really by obey, they were ordered them to be taken the Pharos suburb adjoining, not ten mi. The other listened without interrupting the tending to the burning of all the Montan nutes' distance from the ill-famed bath, there story, in apparent astonishment, till, as the roots in the city, and no more Montan flowers

No one was allowed to say that the Queen

This extraordinary woman reigned twentytwo years, and gave her own maiden name verse.". He was ever ready to take the place of high officers who were unjustly degraded or left their posts in disgust, despairing of ever doing any thing well under the fitful reign of the "Incomparable One;" and though he faithfully discharged all their varied and complicated du-"But to our tale." Osman, who was by ties, yet with real humility he declined all he asked. "It is not yet near morning no means a coward, and whose mettle was titles and emoluments, never allowing him-"How so?" replied the other; "the dawn now fairly up, swore that he would see self to be called by any other name than lohas already broken, only 'tis cloudy and the matter out to the end; besides, added jen-chia "old man." In his hours of leisure dark. If we do not make haste we shall find he, the dawn must now be near, and it could from state duties, he joined heartily in all the bath crowded with people, and have ever hardly be a phantom again this time. So he the reasonable amusements of the Court, so long to wait for our turn. Besides, the got up, went, in bathing apparel as he still and was particularly fond of athletic exsooner the better; get your things on and was, to the house-door, and opened it. Sure ercise, of games of skill and chance. One enough, there stood his friend, or what day, in playing a game of hazard with a courtier (who was extravagantly fond of must have overslept himself, and was really "What is the matter with you," asked the dress and boasted of his great wealth and behind time. So he slipped quietly back into figure, "that you stare so wildly at me? and costly robes, according to the custom of the day pledged them in play) he won from him "My own wearing-clothes are at the a magnificent Court robe of green peacock's in hand, at the door. No one else was up bath," replied Osman; and forthwith pro- feathers, which the courtier was unwilling to and stirring as they passed along the narrow | coeded to give an account of all that he had relinquish, and the premier had no wish to Th lanes, now doubly dark with overshadowing seen that night, and how he had been twice claim. But there were some who envied the trees, talking familiarly as they went, till spectre-tricked, thinking to himself, "if this courtier his rare green robe, and the affair was carried before the Queen, who not only

given up, but that the "old man" should her presence that she might be sure it was side the view opens out across the Xenos "Me!" he said; "why I have only this mi- in his possession; this he did, to her great Bellique ravine to the battlemented walls of the castle nute left my house, and I was going quietly by delight; for, though she had the whole opposite; and beyond these again rises high myself to the bath, when it occurred to me that Court at her feet, she was ever most proud Daque of in air the tall stone minaret of a mosque, I might as well pass by your door, and take of his simple straightforward obedience, and Monocae once a Byzantine church, and now the the chance of calling you up, in case you in this way he gained an increasing influence. Luckawa principal place of Mahometan worship with- might not be awake already. You must have It was through him that the Tang dynasty in the limits of the old fortified town. Here been dreaming somehow. Any way, let us was saved and her son placed upon the they stopped to breathe the fresh air a now go at once, and look for your clothes Throng; though not till he had been falsely moment after the close stifling lanes. It was where you have left them, lest anybody else accused of high treason and condemned to should come in the meanwhile and take a an ignominious death by his unnatural mother, and the Empire was on the verge of of dawn there: only the topering outline of Once more Osman felt sure that the speak- ruin, did the wise "old man" put forth the minaret was traced faintly white against er was his own live neighbour, and no other. his arm of power, take the helm of gothe blackness of the sky. "How far off it So, after a little more parley, they went to- vernment, and save the country from before, the outer door was wide open, and the on the Throne; who, having the wisdom to

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